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Date	Steamers.	Tons.
1921		
15th Jan. ..	DEVANHA ..	8,092
22nd ,, ..	SICILIA (a) ..	6,702
29th ,, ..	MOREA (b) ..	10,890
4th Feb. .	KAISAR-I-HIND ..	11,470
12th ,, .	PLASSY ..	7,346
19th ,, .	MALWA ..	10,85
26th ,, .	NALDERA (b) ..	15,82

(a) SICILIA and PLASSY—Through steamers from Far East. Call Bombay for Mails only.

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Date	Steamers	Tons.
1921		
20th Jan. ..	MANDALA ..	8,246
3rd Feb. ..	CHANDA (a) ..	6,169
23rd ,, ..	NEURALIA ..	9,082

(a) CHANDA has accommodation for limited number of a second saloon passenger only.

SAILINGS TO STRAITS AND CHINA AND AUSTRALIA.

Date.	Steamers	Remarks.
1921		
13th Jan. ..	DUNERA ..	Calls Colombo, Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai.
28th ,, ..	NARKUNDA.	Calls Colombo, Fremantle, Adelaide, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAILINGS TO AFRICA, KARACHI AND PERSIAN GULF.

Date about	Steamers	——
14 Jan. 1921	LHASA	Karachi direct noon
14th ,, .	COOEYANNA ..	Busrah direc
17th ,, ..	CHAKIA	Karachi Coasting 9-30 a.m.
19th ,, ..	KARAGOLA ..	East and South Africa.

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Steamer.	Commander.	Tons.	Arrival.	Departure.
* Yoshida Maru No. 3.	M. Kozaka.	4646	20th Jan.	27th Jan.
Rongoon Maru.	Y. Nakajiam.	5060	27th Jan.	5th Feb.
† Malacca Maru.	M. Tsuruhashi.	5373	18th Feb.	21st Feb.

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Steamer	Captain	Arrival	Departure
Kotoku Maru	E Yano	15th Jan	25th Jan
Kwosa Maru	S Kobayashi	30 ,,	12th Feb
Saigon Maru	I Ijichi	10th Feb	22nd Feb
Kwasado Maru	T Watanabe	15th Feb	25th Feb

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The [illegible] of this fever-land
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Heard on [illegible] the playful air,
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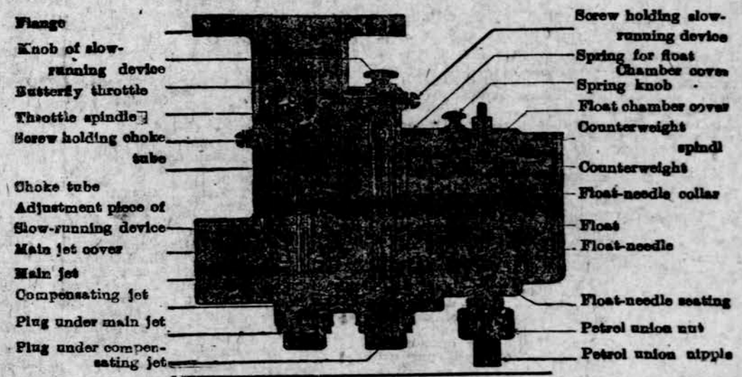

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NOTICE.

CONFERENCE OF THE NON-GAZETTED POLICE OFFICER OF UNITED PROVINCES OF AGRA AND OUDH.

THE FIRST ANNUAL CONFERENCE of the Police Association of the above Officers will be held at Meerut on 28th, 29th and 30th January, 1921. The resolutions approved by the Central Association are published for general information.

1. Each District Association should nominate one Inspector, one Sub-Inspector, one Head-Constable and one Constable as delegates to attend the annual Conference. The expenses of such Head-Constables and Constables should be borne from the Funds of the District Associations if these officers desire so.

2. In compliance with Rule No. 2 of the Rules of the Association each District Association should nominate one Inspector, one Sub-Inspector, one Head-Constables, and one Constable to elect the Council from their respective Districts.

3. The present rules of the Association being provisional every District Association and every member is entitled to send in their amendments or proposals along with the names of the mover and Seconder to Head Office by 17-1-1921.

4. Any resolution which a District Association or a member pleases to be discussed in the Conference should send in such resolutions to Head Office by 17-1-1921 along with the names of the mover and Seconder to be placed on the Agenda.

5. Sheikh Aijaz Husein and Pandit Sham Lal have been elected as president and Secretary of the Reception Committee. District Associations and members are requested to communicate directly to the Secretary aforesaid about their board and lodging arrangements. Secretary of the Reception Committee will issue notices regarding the above arrangements from his office and will get them published in the papers.

6. Central Association is of opinion that the District Associations may elect as President of the Association from among the following officers. They are requested to forward the name of their nominee to the Head Office by 17-1-1921, so that the result of election according to majority of votes may be published in the papers.

1. Rai Bahadur B. Jiwan Krishen Mitra, Inspector attached to Ry. Police Office.
2. Munshi Safdar Husain, Headmaster Police Training School Muradabad.
3. Mr. Howard Inspector C.I.D. Allahabad.
4. B. Sarjoo Pershad, Prosecuting Inspector Lucknow.
5. Khan Sahib Munshi Abdul Jalil, Kotwal Bareilly.
6. Pandit Amreshwar Nath, Inspector C.I.D., Allahabad.

NAWAL KISHORE,
Joint Secretary of the Police Association of non-gazetted Police Officers of United Provinces of Agra and Oudh (Meerut).
7709

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS are invited for two temporary posts of GOVERNMENT INSPECTOR of Factories, Boilers and Smoke Nuicances, for six months.

Applicants should possess a First Class Engineers' Certificate of Competency, have a good knowledge of the working and upkeep of boilers and be able to calculate strength of parts and pressures.

Salary offered, Rs. 400 to 600 per mensem plus actual conveyance allowance while stationed in Bombay and usual travelling allowance.

The selected candidate will be required to begin duty at once.

Applications together with copies of testimonials will be received by the Undersigned at the Old Custom House till 25th January 1921.

J. P. BRANDER,
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7681

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5th January, 1921. 7545

NOTICE.

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EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

ENHANCEMENT OF RATES FOR PUBLIC COAL, COKE AND PATENT FUEL

WITH effect from 1st April, 1921, Coal Coke and Patent fuel in full wagon loads, at owner's risk, loading and unloading being done by owners, booked on public account from any station to any station on the East Indian Railway and via will be charged at the following scale of rates, both in local and through booking:—

	Pies per md. per mile
For all distances up to 200 miles inclusive	0.13
Plus for any distance in excess of 200 miles and up to 300 miles inclusive	0 12
Plus for any distance in excess of 300 miles and up to 700 miles inclusive	0.07
Plus for any distance in excess of 700 miles	0.06

2. The above scale is exclusive of the East Indian Railway terminal charge of Re. 0-2-0 per ton, which will be levied in addition.

3. Public Coal, Coke and Patent fuel booked to stations on Foreign Railways, which have adopted the above scale, will be charged at this scale on the actual through distance from start to destination and all terminals, transhipment and other extra charges due, will be levied in addition. Public Coal, Coke and Patent fuel booked to stations on the Foreign Railways, which have not adopted the above scale, will be charged over the East Indian Railway at the above scale from the booking station up to the Junctions with such railways and the charges for the remaining distance will be levied as per the Tariffs of the Foreign Railways in force from time to time.

C. D. M. HINDLEY,
Agent,
E. I. Ry.
Calcutta, 7th December, 1920. 7000

INDIA TIMBER MINES AND PRODUCTS LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders of India Timber, Mines and Products, Ltd, wil be held at the Registered office of the Compani, No. 55-58, Ezra Street, Calcutta, on MONDAY, the 31st January 1921, at 4-30 p.m. to receive the Directors' Report, pass the audited accounts for the period ending 30th November 1920, declare Dividend and transact any other business that may be brought forward.

The SHARE TRANSFER REGISTER of the Company will be closed from 16/1/21 to 31/1/21 both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
KELVIN & CO.,
Managing Agents.
55-58, Ezra St.,
Calcutta, 11th January, 1921. 7712

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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WANTED—A GRADUATE, an UNDERGRADUATE, a MATRIC or S. F. for the N. L. High School, Dahanu. Apply to the HON. SECRETARIES, Dahanu (District Thana). 7706

WANTED

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3 DOWN.

	H. M.
Neral	d. 10-10
Matheran	a. 11-45

5 DOWN.

	H. M.
Neral	d. 16-20
Matheran	a. 17-55

6 UP.

	H. M.
Matheran	d. 15-35
Neral	a. 17-13

2 UP.

	H. M.
Matheran	d. 8- 0
Neral	a. 9-25

M. ALEXANDER,
Ag. General Traffic Manager,
G. I. P. Railway.
Bombay, 14th January, 1921.
G. W. J. 7725

GREAT INDIA PENINSULA RAILWAY

(Incorporated in England.)

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF TIMBER DURING 1920-21.

THE AG. AGENT is prepared to receive tenders for the supply of the following Burma or Siam teak squares for delivery in Bombay before 15th March, 1921:—

3000 tons of teakwood of which 2000 tons may be "selected 1st class" quality and the balance "first class" or "2nd class" qualities.

2. The rates quoted should be for one ton of 50 c.ft. f.o.r. or c.i.f. Bombay for each quality offered and the maximum percentage of rejection allowed should be stated. The timber will be taken on Bombay measurement.

3. Tenders may be submitted for the whole or any portion of the quantity required and should be accompanied by the Shipper's Specification. The tenders should also state whether the purchaser has the option of accepting any portion or portions of the quantity tendered.

4. A sum of Rs. 10,000 in cash or Government paper must be deposited with the Assistant Auditor and Accountant in charge Cash Office, Victoria Terminus, without which no tender will be considered.

5. No printed forms of tender are available but intending Tenderers should tender on their own forms or by letter. Order placed will be subject to the condition that the Ag. Agent may purchase against a supplier whose deliveries are in default on the 1st of March 1921.

6. Tenders must reach the undersigned at his Office before noon on Friday the 28th January, 1921, and should be submitted in a sealed cover marked "Tender for the supply of timber."

7. The Ag. Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

M. T. GRIFFITHS.
For Secretary.
Agent's Office,
Victoria Terminus.
Bombay, 13th January, 1921. 7703

PUBLIC NOTICE.

BOMBAY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTORATE

RECLAMATION BRANCH.

APPLICATIONS to be addressed to the Chief Engineer, Reclamation, are invited from thoroughly experienced men to fill the following posts:—

Executive Engineers, two, on Rs. 1,200—100—1,400 p.m. with conveyance allowance of Rs.150 p.m.

LL. W. LEWIS,
Chief Engineer,
Reclamation.
Old Customs House Yard, Bombay. 7749

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RECLAMATION BRANCH.

THE following positions are vacant—Applications will be received by the Chief Engineer, Reclamation.

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LL. W. LEWIS,
Chief Engineer, Reclamation.
Old Customs House Yard, Bombay. 7749

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that our client SHETH HAJI SAKOOR GANY has yesterday cancelled and revoked the power of Attorney given by him to his Munim and Manager MOHMAD ISMAIL and that the said Mohmad Ismail is no longer in our client employment as Munim Manager or in any other capacity. Any one dealing with the said Mohmad Ismail acting in the name of our said cient, shall do so at his own risk.

Dated this 14th day of January, 1921.

PURUSHOTTAMRAI & CO.,
Attorneys for Haji Shakoor Gany.
56, Esplanade Road, Bombay. 7735

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the STATUTORY GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the Jewellery Consignments, Ltd., will be held on the 24th January, 1921 at the Company's Registered Office 259-61, Shaikh Memon Street, Bombay 2, at 1 p.m. (Standard Time).

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be kept CLOSED from 15th January, 1921, to 25th January, 1921, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
PANACHAND MANCHAND & CO.,
Managing Agents.
7734

APPOINTMENT FOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERS.

APPLICATIONS are invited for two posts of probationary Circle Officers on Rs. 150—25—200 per mensem. Only Mechanical Engineers with industrial experience need apply. Successful applicants will be required to serve three years in the Government Workshops at Dapuri. Applications will be received up to 5th February, 1921. Forms of application may be obtained from the undersigned.

R. D. BELL,
Director of Industries.
New Custom House,
Ballard Road,
Bombay, -1-1921. 7739

MACKENZIE, LYALL & CO.

WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Exchange Commercial Sale Rooms, 5, Mission Row, Calcutta, at 3 p.m. on MONDAY, the 24th January, 1921, on account and risk of the Mortgagors.

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The Conditions of Sale are Cash in full on the fall of the hammer. 7745

BANK OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Bank will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 3rd proximo till Monday the 17th proximo both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
R. AITKEN.
Secretary & Treasurer.
Bombay, 16th December, 1920. 7111

NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited before 31st January, 1921, for the contract of the distillation of country liquor for consumption in the Idar State for the year 1920-21. For conditions and further particulars regarding the contract, apply to:—

THE MAHARAJA KUMAR,
Idar State,
Himatnagar (A. P. Ry.) 7419

THE EASTERN BANK LIMITED.

(Incorporated in England).

CALL OF £1. 1920.

THE Directors require Shareholders, who have not paid the above call, to pay the same on or before the 31st January, 1921 at any Office of the above Bank, together with interest at 10 per cent. per annum from the 31st July, 1920, to date of payment and in the event of non-payment of the said call, shares in respect of which such call was made will be liable to be forfeited. 7697

PUBLIC NOTICE.

GEO GAHAGAN & CO., LTD

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 17th day of January, 1921, to the 27th day of January, 1921, both days inclusive.

For Geo. Gahagan & CO., Ltd.,
S. GAHAGAN & CO.,
7736 Agents.

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the Bombay Cotton Brokers Association, Ltd., will be held on MONDAY, the 31st January, 1920, at 2 o'clock noon, at the Registered Office of the Association situated at the Marwari Bazar to transact the following business:—

(1) To receive, consider and adopt the accounts and the Balance Sheet, the Reports of the Committee and the Auditors for the Samvat year 1976 ended Aso Vad 30th (16th November, 1920).
(2) To adopt the resolutions passed by the Managing Committee before this date, as bye-laws, with additions and omissions.
(3) To elect members for the Committee and appoint Auditors for the Samvat year 1977 (1920-21).
(4) To fix the additional number of members to be taken during the Samvat year 1977 (1920-21) and the admission fee and to consider the case of those members who have not paid their subscriptions.
(5) Any other business brought forward by the Chairman.

BEGRAJ GUPTA,
DULERAI VANECHAND DESAI,
Hon. Secretaries.
Bombay, 14th January, 1921.

THE BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE, LTD.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Share Holders of the company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay, on WEDNESDAY the 26th January, 1921, at 3 p.m. (S.T.) for the transaction of the following business:—

(1) To adopt the Directors' Report and duly audited Profit and Loss A/c, for period ending 31st December 1920 Balance Sheet as at that date company.
(2) To appoint Directors.
(3) To appoint auditors for the current and to fix their remuneration.
(4) To transact such other business as may be brought forward by the Chairman.

Notice is also given that share TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 20th January, 1921 till the 31st January, 1921, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.
M. D. DARU.
Secretary.
Bombay, 15th January, 1921. 7752

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. JIWAJI CASSUMJI CONTRACTOR has contracted to sell to our client SHETH KAESONDAS DHARAMSEY, the undermentioned property. All persons having any right, title, interest, claim or demand in to or upon the said property either by way of mortgage, charge, gift, sale, use, trust, possession, inheritance, bequest, lease, lien, partnership or otherwise whatever, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at 109, Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to such claim, and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground (the cess whereof has been redeemed) containing by admeasurement 108 square yards or thereabouts, situate lying and being at Raghunath Dadaji Street, within the Fort in the Town and Island and in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 46, New Nos. 337, of the Pension and Tax Tenure Old Nos. 358, New No. 5827 of Quit and Ground Rent Tenure Old Survey No. 496 and New Survey No. 9164 together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under A Ward No. 2332, Street Nos. 11-13 and bounded as follows: that is to say on or towards the North by the property of Edalji Hormasji Ghandi on or towards the South by the property of Kaikhushroo Hormusji Jassawalla, on or towards the East by a sweeper's passage and beyond that by the property of Manockji Nowroji Chiniwalla and on or towards the West by the said Raghunath Dadaji Street.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1921.

DAPHTARY FERREIRA & DIVAN,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at an Auction Sale held on the 6th day of January, 1921, under instructions of DADABHAI DAJIBHAI BARIA, ARDESHIR DADABHAI BARIA and RUSTOMJI DADABHAI BARIA and on account and at the risk of JIBAI, widow of Dattoobhai Thavar, Hassanbhai Dattoo and Hajibhai Dattoo our clients were the highest bidders and declared to be the purchasers of the undermentioned property. Any person or persons having or making any claim against the said property by way of sale, mortgage, transfer, lease, exchange, gift, trust, inheritance, bequest, lien or otherwise howsoever, is or are requested to make the same known in writing to us at our office at No. 9, Bell Lane, Fort, within fourteen days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim, and the same (if any) shall be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Nizam Street, in the Town and Island of Bombay in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 176 5/9 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 2583, New No. 5669, Old Survey No. 1720-1721-1722, and New Survey No. 2 881 and in the books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No. 6427 and Street No. 7749 and which said premises are bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Haji Suleman Haji Mistri, on or towards the West by the property of Haji Ebrahim Haji Suleman on or towards the North by a sweeper's passage and on or towards the South by the Nizam Street.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1921.

MATUBHAI JAMIETRAM & MADAN,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Nizam Street, in the Town and Island of Bombay in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 176 5/9 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 2583, New No. 5669, Old Survey No. 1720-1721-1722, and New Survey No. 2 881 and in the books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No. 6427 and Street No. 7749 and which said premises are bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Haji Suleman Haji Mistri, on or towards the West by the property of Haji Ebrahim Haji Suleman on or towards the North by a sweeper's passage and on or towards the South by the Nizam Street.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1921.

MATUBHAI JAMIETRAM & MADAN,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership which previously subsisted between our clients MAHOMED UMAR CHANDBHOY Mr. ABDUL LATIF MAHOMEDBHOY and Mr. SAMADBHOY ABDUL LATIF under the name of SAMADBHAI CHANDBHAI at Viramgaum, under the name of SHAMADBHAI ABDUL RASUL at Ahmedabad and under the name of MAHOMED UMAR SAMADBHAI at Kolhapur and which carried on business in Sugar Iron Grocery, etc., was DISSOLVED on the 30th day of Aso vad of 1976 i.e., 10th of November 1920 by mutual consent, and that all persons dealing with the said Mr. Abdul Latif Mr. Samadbhoy Abdul Latif in the names of Messrs. Samadbhai Chandbhai or Messrs. Samadbhai Abdul Latif or Messrs. Mahomed Umar Samadbhai at Kolhapur will do so at their risk.

Dated this 15th day of January, 1921.

KHANDWALLA & Co.,
Attorney's for Messrs. Mahomed Umar Chandbhai.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Bai GULBAI, widow of Bomanji Dinshaw Petit, Esquire, JEHANGIR BOMANJI PETIT Bai DINBAI FARDOONJI PETIT and PHIROZSHAW BOMANJI PETIT, all of Bombay Parsis, the present Trustees of the Bomanji Dinshaw Petit Trust Settlement, dated 1st August, 1913, have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, exchange, mortgage, maintenance, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, lien, easement or otherwise is hereby required to make the same known in writing to us at our office No. 14 K, Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same will be considered as waived.

All that piece or parcel of vacant land, situate at Vihitgaon near Deolali, in Taluka Nasik, District Nasik, in the Registration Sub-District of Nasik, containing by admeasurement 49581 square yards or thereabouts (be the same more or less) and bearing Pratbandhi No. 21 and 33 and bounded on the East by the Public Road, leading from Nasik to Deolali Camp, on the West by land bearing No. 33 and 34 partly belong to Shanker Biwaji and partly Tatea Shiwdeo, on the North by land bearing No. 21 and 32 belonging to Mathu Moctaji and on the South by a passage and which said land has been and is in the possession of the vendors.

Dated this 12th day of January, 1921.

MERWANJI KOLA & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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SALES BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS BOMBAY.
Telephone No. 521.
No. 16, Apollo Street, Fort.

AUCTION SALE OF 3 CASES ALL WOOL SERGE AND 1 CASE UNION MIXTURE CLOTH.

Under instructions from Nissim I. Bekhor, Esqr., and on account and risk of the defaulting purchaser, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction on TUESDAY, the 18th January, 1921 at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), at Muljі Jetha Market, Champa Gully, the following:—

1 case 10 pieces 54" x 65 yards all wool serge
1 case 10 pieces 54" x 65 yards all wool serge
1 case 10 pieces 54" x 65 yards all wool serge
1 case 26 pieces 54" x 35 yards Union Mixture cloth.

The above cases are lying in the Bonded Warehouse.

A deposit of 25 per cent will be required at the time of sale.

WEEKLY SALE.
TO-DAY.

AUCTION SALE of Flousehold and Office Furniture various sorts of cloth pieces, Mahta Boxes, Scales, Carpets, and Sundry articles etc.

Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by public auction on MONDAY, the 17th January, 1921, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) at their rooms No. 16 Apollo Street Fort, the following:—

Household and office furniture such as Drawing Room suites of sofas and chairs, armed and armless chairs, Mirror-door Cupboards, Writing and Dressing tables, fancy teapoys, sideboards, Fancy Cupboards, Bookstands etc.

By order of Kenneth Mc. I Kemp. Esqr. the official Assignee of Bombay and the Assignee of the estates and effects of the following insolvents:—

1. Estate of Keshavlal Oojamra Pundit:—Handkerchief, cloths Turkey red, Prints, Muslin prints, Voiles, shirting cloth pieces, White and black lining cloths Wooden stands Mehta box, scale, carpet, etc.

2. Estate of Lakhamsey Damji and Co., writing tables, copying press, Oliver Typewriter, Cupboards, chairs, Electric fan, Duplicators, samples of sundries etc.

3. Estate of Gakuldas Kababhai Shah:—1 Mehta box, 1 scale, carpet, Gunny bags, beds and pillows etc.

4. Estate of Ranchordas Madhavji. Thakar:—Cap board, safe Mehta boxes, bench, chairs, clock, copying press beds pillows etc.

By order of the office concerned:—Steel Boot moulds, paperfiles cash boxes etc.

1 "Tharples" super clarifier machine 1 D. B. 500 Bore Hammer Rifle by Alexander Henry of London.

By order of the office concerned:—
200 doz. paper files.
1 Electric Reflecting Magic lantern.

By order of the Insurance, Co., concerned:—
2 packs Antimony salt.
Cycicles etc.

At 2-30 p.m. (S.T.).

AUCTION SALE OF THE INSOLVENTS 200 BAGS OF ALMOND.

By order of Kennth Mc. I. Kemp Esqr. the Official Assignee of Bombay and the Assignee of the estates and effects of Tokersey Kanji, and Co., insolvents, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., Auctioneers will sell by public auction on Thursday the 20th January 1921, at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.) at their auction Rooms No. 16 Apollo Street, Fort, the following.

(Insolvents 200) bags of Almond.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

CRAWFORD & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 17th January, 1921.

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SALES BY AUCTION.

MESSRS. MEHTA & CO.

Government and G. I. P. Railway Lic.

AUCTION SALE of 66 Packages Japanese flannels, Japanese vesting, Japanese poplins, Japanese checks, English imitation vayal flannels, English woolen Cashmir, English muslins and English coloured vayals.

THIS DAY MONDAY, the 17th instant at 2-30 p.m. Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will sell by Public Auction at the open ground opposite the gate of the Dharamraj Gully at Champa Gully, Muljі Jetha Market by order of Messrs. Abdula Allarakhia and Co. and on account and at the risk of Messrs. Sidik Ebrahim & Co.

10 cases each 20 pieces Japanese flannels white cream quality of No. 6015, 29 inches.
10 cases each 20 pieces Japanese flannels red quality of No. 6013, 29 inches.
10 cases each 20 pieces Japanese flannels five kinds quality of No. 6013, 29 inches.
10 cases each 40 pieces Japanese vesting quality of No. 6023, 28 inches.
5 cases each 50 pieces Japanese cream poplins quality of No. 6035, 30 inches.
10 cases each 30 pieces Japanese checks No. AA, 27 inches.
5 bales each 40 pieces English imitation vayal flannels 27 inches.
2 bales each 12 pieces English woolen Cashmir 54 inches.
2 bales each 40 pieces English flower muslins 27 inches.
2 cases each 50 pieces English coloured vayals 40 inches.

AUCTION SALE of 10 Bales Sarries of the Mathuradas Mills.

THIS DAY MONDAY, the 17th inst. at p.m. Messrs. MEHTA & Co., will sell by Public Auction at the open ground, opposite the gate of the Dharamrajgully at Champagully Muljі Jetha Market by order of Sha Vrajlal Devcarun the selling agent of the Mathuradas Mills and on account and at the risk of Marvadi Jagannath Sitaram of Kharakuva.

10 Bales Sarries of the Mathuradas Mills Putli Border No. 2069, 44 inches 8½ yards.

(Balance out of the contract of 11 Bales.)

AUCTION SALE of 13 Bales Sarries of the Madhavji Mills.

THIS DAY MONDAY, the 17th inst. at 3-30 p.m. Messrs. MEHTA and Co. will sell by Public Auction at the open ground opposite the gate of the Dharamrajgely at Champagully, Muljі Jetha Market by order of Sha Devcarun Muljі, the selling agent of the Madhavji Mills and on account and at the risk of Marvadi Jagannath Sitaram of Kharakuva.

2 Bales Sarries of the Madhavji Mills No. 1091 P. 44 inches, 8½ yards.
3 Bales Sarries of the Madhavji Mills No. 1091D. 44 inches 8½ yards.
8 bales Sarries of the Madhavji Mills No. 1091D. 44 inches 8½ yards.

TO RAJAHS, MAHARAJAS AND JEWELLERS.

A splendid opportunity to purchase really valuable and rare collection of jewellery belonging to the leading firm of Madras jewellers.

On THURSDAY, the 20th day of January, 1921, and succeeding days at 2-30 p.m. (S T.) sharp daily, Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will sell by Public Auction, by order of Rai Bahadur Sir Hukamchand Sarupchand at his Pedhi at the Kalbadevi Road and on account and at the risk of Messrs. T. R Tawker and Sons, the well-known firm of leading jewellers of Madras.

A very valuable and rare collections of large diamonds, emeralds, rubies and pearl jewellery worth several lakhs.

Detailed list can be had on application to Messrs. Malvi Mody Ranchordas and Co., Attorneys for Rai Bahadur Sir Hukamchand Sarupchand at their office at 79, Medows Street, Fort, or to the Undersigned and inspection of the said jewellery can be had on application to the said Rai Bahadur Sir Hukamchand Sarupchand at his Pedhi at Kalbadevi Road.

AUCTION SALE OF 600 BALES FINE OOMERA COTTON.

THIS DAY MONDAY, the 17th January at 5 p.m. (S.T.) Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will sell by Public Auction at the Colaba Cotton Green by order of Seth Shirramdas Ramnarangandas and on account and at the risk of the defaulting purchaser Seth Thackerseydas Nandlal:—

600 Bales Machine ginned fine Oomera Cotton under delivery orders Nos. 113, 105, 117, 115, 74 and 118 purchased by the aid defaulter for September delivery at the rate of Rupees 269 and passed in the Survey under an allowance of 15, 30 30, 25, 25, 35 respectively and stamped by the said defaulter.

The above bales are lying in the godowns of the said Seth Shivramdas Ramnarangandas at No. 8 Victoria Bunder and may be viewed there before the sale condition of sale will be read at the time of sale.

MEHTA & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 17th January, 1921. a

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AUCTIONEERS.
No. 45, HUMMUM STREET, FORT.
Telephone No. 4089.

AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED CARGOES OF THE BOMBAY PORT TRUST DOCKS.

In accordance with Section 64 of the Bombay Port Trust Act, of 1879, and as from time to time amended and under instructions from the Bombay Port Trust Docks Manager, Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction on TUESDAY, 18th January, 1921, at 2 p.m., at the Sale Warehouse, Alexandra Dock, opposite No. 2 Shed, the following goods:—

Oilman stores, bath bricks, galvanised sheets tablets, E buttons, acid, Government stores, lampware, medicines, Sarsaparilla, iron chains cement, copra, whisky, C P goods, galvanised tubes, paint, dye, old newspaper, bars iron, tea, automobile accessories, papers, tobacco, wine, steel bars, steel rods, woollen piece goods, fire crackers, hats, shuttles, soap, rivets, candles, jewelleryware, caps, tin plates, heel tips, perfumery, dry wet dates, gum, corks, artificial flowers, samples, vermouth, hoops, iron tubes wire, personal effect, boiled oil, machinery, dry colour, best polish, rubber hose, blouses, cotton and silk, leather, saddlery, tools, stationery, files, cutlery, bicycle and bicycle parts, boots and shoes, perfumed spirit, lamp, silver assays, motor bicycles, drapery, hooks and eyes, hosiery, musical instrument accumulators, cotton wicks, printing ink, shirts and collars, cylinders, motor tyres, red lead, full pressed cotton, sparkling wine, cloves, motor wheel cover cast iron pipe, beans mong, hardware, tin box, angle iron, padlocks, clips, seat covers, ink, biscuits, wheel parts, oil china clay, etc.

AUCTION SALE OF ABOUT 4,000 BALES AND A LARGE QUANTITY LOOSE WASTE.

Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 17th January, 1921, at 3 p.m. (S. T.) at the junction of Jackeria Bunder Road and Sewree, on the open ground of the Port Trust, by order of the Insurance Office concerned the following goods salved from the late fire that occurred in the godown of the Commercial Trading Co., Ltd.

About 4,000 bales and a large quantity of loose waste of different kinds.

AUCTION SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS.

Under instructions from The Bombay Improvement Trust Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, the 19th January 1921, at 9-30 a.m. (S. T.) the materials for removal of the following buildings:

Building St. No. 543-559: Case No. 28; Doongri Street.

MENESSE & CO.,
Auctioneers.

SALES BY AUCTION.

J. S. MODY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.
21, APOLLO STREET, FORT.
Telephone No. 3409.

AUCTION SALE ON THURSDAY 20TH JANUARY 1921 AT 2-30 P.M. (S.T.)

Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction on THURSDAY the 20th day of January, 1921, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the show rooms, in Dean Lane, Fort of Hummum Street (where the kit has been removed for sale) very valuable household furniture, etc., comprising dining tables, arm and armless chairs, handsome sideboard, dinner waggons, dumbwaiters, meatsafes, iron glass, porcelain and plateware, marble top tables, fancy teapoys, tapestry upholstered drawing room suite, silk lined chesterfield sofa and easy chairs, rich carpets made to order Benjamin's and Wimbridge hall cabinets roll top writing tables, nic cabinets, fancy palm stands, pictures, bedsteads large cheval glass, sweet-toned cottage piano, writing tables, mirror single and double door almirans, clothes and gown presses, bedroom chest of drawers, easy chairs, marble top dressing and wash-hand tables milner's fireproof safes on stands, etc.,

The property of A. L. Honeybone, Esq., and others catalogues will be published and the property is on view.

AUCTION SALE OF LANDED PROPERTY AT TWO TANKS ON GRANT ROAD.

On THURSDAY, the 20th day of January 1921 at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co. auctioneers will sell by Public Auctions on the premises under instructions from Messrs. Shroff and Vachha, attorneys for the mortgagee Mr. Bomanji Adarji Engineer and on account and at the risk of the mortgagor Malhari Satvaji Patel the undermentioned property viz:—Firstly all that piece or parcel of Government land or ground out of which 251 sq. yds. is quit and ground rent tenure 493 3/9 square yards is of samadi tenure together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Grant Road outside the Fort of Bombay within the Registration sub-district of Bombay containing by admeasurement in all 744 3/9 square yards or thereabouts and registration in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under old No. 3124 and 4916 New Nos. 10020 and 11158 Old Survey Nos. 4468 and 4119 New Survey Nos. 5738 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under D. Ward No. 34 35 36 (1) and Street Nos. 207 and 1—2 and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards the North by the property secondly described on or towards the South by the public road called Grant Road on or towards the East by the property of Thuker Narsidas and on or towards the West by the North-Brook Street Secondly: All that piece of parcel of Government land of quit and ground rent tenure with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Grant Road aforesaid in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay containing by admeasurement 209 6/9 square yds. or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of land Revenue together with the property firstly described under old Nos. 3124 and 4916 New Nos. 10020 and 11158 Old Survey Nos. 4468 and 4119 New Survey Nos. 5738 and bounded as follows on the East by the sweeper's passage on the West by the North-Brook Street on the North by the property of Sultan Submedar and on the South by the property herein before firstly described which said premises are assessed by the Collector of Assessment under D. Ward 797 Street No. 263.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to Messrs. Shroff and Vachha, Attorneys for the mortgagee at their office 315 Hornby Road Fort, to the undersigned.

RARE OPPORTUNITY TO ENGINEERS, SHIPCHANDLERS, FACTORY, OWNERS AND MACHINERY MERCHANTS.

AUCTION SALE OF BRAND NEW AMERICAN MOTOR LAUNCHES, BRAND NEW "WOLVERINE" MOTOR MARINE ENGINES, "HERCULES" GAS OIL ENGINES, PUMP JACKS PROPELLERS AND SHAFTINGS FOR MOTOR BOAT ENGINES.

Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co. will sell by Public Auction on FRIDAY the 21st day of January, 1921, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the Star Automobile Co.'s Rooms next to the Imperial Cinema in the compound of Sir Mangaldas on Lamington Road under instructions of Sir Mahomed Yusuf Haji Esmail, Messrs. Haji Ali Mahomed Haji Cassum Haji Mahomed Haji Suleman and Ismail Haji Dawood the Trustees of the will of the late Mr. Suleman Hasam Saudagar the undermentioned machinery belonging to the estate of the deceased.

2 Brand new American steel motor launches with 12 h.-p. Keremata engines, complete.
2 Brand new American wooden motor launches with 12 h.-p. Keremath engines, complete.
2 Brand new Wolverine motor Marine engines, 42 brake h.-p.
3 Hercules Gas oil engines (1 of 4-h.p. of 6 and 1 of 9 h.p.)
4 Pump Jacks for pumping well water.
5 cases steel shaftings for motor boat engines.
1 case Bronze propellers for motor launches.

The above are on view.

BONA FIDE SALE.

AUCTION SALE ON SUNDAY 23rd JANUARY 1921, AT 2-30 P.M. (S.T.)

Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction on SUNDAY, the 23rd day of January 1921 at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) at No. 12, Byculla Club Road Byculla behind the Bucuila Club very valuable made to order household furniture etc., comperising sliding dinning table, chairs, sideboard, dinner waggons, dumbwaiters, meatsafes, rich glass and porcelainware marble top tables fancy teapoys, Bohimian glass plush lined drawing room suite, handsome cabinets, pair of glass partition secreens. Italian marble statues on various subjects with with pedestals rich pictures real ivory table ornaments, electric light Terracotta figures, large race game, brass adn iron bedsteaus, permabulator, English palm stands mirror door almirans, chest of drawers marbie top dressing and wash-hand tables, clothes and gown dresses reclining sofas, rich carpets, Durrie carpets, etc., etc.

1 "Stover" 4 cylinders 12 h.-p. German make motor car newly painted, lately overhauled with lights and accessaries.
1 "Belsize" 4 cylinders 12—14 h.-p., English motor car lately overhauled with head and side lights and accessaries.
1 "Menerva" 4 cylinders 14 h.-p. motor car with English magnato, carburettor and electric horn.
1 Little used Landaulette newly painted and lined.
1 Showy black Waler 15-hands going in saddle and harness.

The property of Haji Ismail Haji Dawood Esq., changing the bungalow.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view 4 days before the date of sale.

J. S. MODY & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 17th January, 1921.

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SALES BY AUCTION.

MESSRS. SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.

Agriculturists and Commission Agents
(21, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay).

AUCTION SALE OF GINNING AND PRESSING FACTORY, situate near Chinchli Station, Belgaum Zilla, Kolapur Elaka, on Southern Maharatta Railway Line. SALE on MONDAY, the 17th January, 1921, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the Auctioneers' Sale Room, No. 21, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay.

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co. will by order of Thaker Ratansey Dossa and on account and at the risk of Thaker Gordhan Thakersey of Ghatkopur the defaulting purchaser, sell by Public Auction, the following mentioned Ginning and Pressing Factory at their Sale Room on the abovementioned day and time.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground admeasuring about 8 acres and 7 ghuntha, situate, near the Chinchli station of Belgaum Zilla, Kolapur Elaka, on the Southern Maharatta Railway, the ground rent payable to the Government is Rs. 2-8-0 yearly together with machinery house, buildings or chawls, store room, boiler room, well, etc., standing thereon and together with 12 double Roller Gins, Shafting, Pulleys, Engine, Boiler one Press and their machinery, tools, fixture implements, utensils and other mechanicle things used in connection with the said Factory.

Further particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of the Undersigned.

The Factory is open for inspection to the intending buyers.

BONA FIDE SALE.

AUCTION SALE OF ITALIAN FIRST CLASS MARBLE STATUARY AND ARTISTIC WORKS.

Messrs. SORABJI CAWASJI and Co., will sell by the Public Auction on THURSDAY 20th January 1921, at 3 p.m., (S.T.) at their Hall Rooms a choice collection of Italian Statutory representating:—

Four seasons:—Autumen, Spring, Winter and Summer; Group of playing children on green marble column; "The Dancing Girl" and "Poetry" for electricle fittings, large lyons, and sphynix neptune, Vanity pairs of cups and Urns for gate, Birds Baths Fountain Tables, Statues representing motherhoved. The Nail, Bathing Dancing and many other subjects besides white and coloured column.

The above are works of high class art and are suitable for large city, country houses and parks.

The above goods are on view.

SORABJI COWASJI & CO.
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 17th January, 1921.

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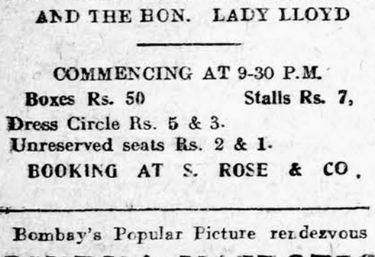

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BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON MARKET REPORT.

(From our Own Correspondent.)

Jan. 15th.

The Marwari Bazar opened this morning fo Fully Good M.G. Broach at Rs 27 and declined to Rs. 25 /2. It then again advanced to Rs. 27 which was the rate at p.m. The Bazar finally closed at Rs The Colaba Market at Rs.

Our market for ready cotton had an easier feeling yesterday and the business done was very limited.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS 5.30 P.M.

Bombay, Jan 15th.

Fully Good Broach	Rs. 332	April-May	Rs. 332
Fully Good Bengal	" 275	March	" 275
Fine Oomras	" 264	March	" 264

STOCKS

The following are the receipts of cotton produce viz., for the 48 hours ending 5 p.m. on 14th Jan. 1921.

Cotton	9,940 Bales
Wheat	2,472 Quarters
Linseed	118 "
Rape, etc.	122 "
Gingellyseed	1032 "
Poppyseed	Nil
Groundnuts	8,041 "
Castorseed	538 "
Rice	1,59,259 "
Myrabolams	1400 "
Oilcakes	4,777 "
Linseed	2,946 "
Rape	3,553 "
Jowar	1,281 "
Bajri	141 "
Barley	Nil
Gram	1,112 "
Jaggery	7,316 Tons

MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

Bombay, Jan. 15.

REPORT.

Bar Gold ready Rs. 27/3
Bar Silver ready Rs. 95/12

EXCHANGE.

T. T. on London 1/5½.
D. D. on London 1/5-5/16.
3 M/st D. A. 1/6-1/8.
D. S. on Paris Frc. 433.
3 M/st D. A. Frc. 468.
T. T. on Japan Rs. 180.
60 D/st D. P. Rs. 163.
American Cross rate dolars 3.74 to 3.75.
Paris Cross rate Frc. 61.20
London Silver Spot D. 40.
London Silver forward D. 39¾.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

5 per cent War Loan 77.
5½ per cent War Bonds due 1926 99.
4 per cent Conversion Loan 65.
4 per cent Terminable Loan 93.
3½ per cent Paper 57.
4 per cent Port Trust due 1974 62.
6 per cent Port Trust due 1930 96.
4 per cent Municipal due 1974 62.
6 per cent Municipal due 1929-49 96.
4 per cent Bombay Improvement Trust due 1974 62.
5 per cent Municipal Tansa 90
5 per cent Municipal Sanitary 91½ to 92½.

BANK RATES.

Bank of Bombay 7 per cent.
Bank of Bengal 7 per cent.
Bank of Madras 7 per cent.

SHARES.

Market was unsettled during the day.
The following are the closing rates of the Bombay Stock Exchange:—

COTTON MILLS.

Ahd. Advance 2500 xd, By. Cotton 1130, By. Dyeing 3070, Century 1175, Cent. India 4220, Colaba Land 2500, Crescent 605 xd, Currimbhoy 1425, David 1720, Fazulbhoy 2160 xd, Finlay 1145, Ind. Bleaching 195, Ind. Malwa 712/8, Kasturchand 1750, Kohinoor 3580, New Great 885 Pearls 1065, Phoenix 1030, Shapurji 370, Simplex 785, Swan 1125, Swadeshi 4310.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alrock 740, By. Burma 605, By. Burma N. I. 200 pr, By. Burma Petrol 17, By. Tramway 685, By. Steam 340 Bandi Cement 43, Ind. Cement 390, Katni Ord. 265, Katni Defd. 1300 xd, New India Ins. 1 pr, Shivrajpur 41, Tata Ord. 137/8, Tata Defd. 670, Tata Hydro 895 xd, Tata Oil 180, Tata Bank 30/8, Scindia Steam 14 dis.

CALCUTT SHARE MARKET.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 14.

The market for jute mill shares was quiet to-day with only a small turnover reported and sellers predominating. Coal shares were in better demand, sellers of the first class securities were inclined to hold off for better prices. In the miscellaneous section a fair turnover was reported with no feature of special interest. Following were closing quotations:

Coal:—Adjai 367, Bansra 17, Caledonian 9, Furiribad 14, Govindpur 19-12, Huntodih 16-4, Neetooria 13, New Manbhoom 64, New Kessurgarh 33, Patmohna 12-8, Surataud 12-12, Union 14.

Jute—Anglo-Indian (pref) 103, Bally 231-8, Century 510, Empire 76-4 and 75-8 s. 1., Fort William 435 s. 1., Gourepore 1015 s. 1., Howrah 43-12, Kamarhatty 939, Kankinarrah 646 and 656-8 s. 1., Lawrence 529 s. 1., Lansdowne 394 and 405 s. 1., Northbrook 74-8 and 75-8 s. 1., Nuddea 65 and 66 s. 1., Union 765 and 795 s. 1.

Miscellaneous:—Allahabad Bank (pref) 84 x. d., Alliance Bank (pref) 87 x. d., Acme Oil 5-4, Anglo Oriental Navigation 25-4, Agra United Mills 9, Bank of Bengal 1900, British India Corporation 11-8, Central Provinces Cement 8, Dunbar Cotton 460, Fort William Jute (deb) 85-9, Howrah Oil 28-4, Hume Pipes 11, Indian Iron and Steel (old) 83, Indo-Burma Tin 5, Kesoram Cotton 15-2, Kumardhubi Engineering 25-8 and 26 s. 1., Marshall Sons and Co. 9, Madan Theatres Ltd. 13-4 and 12-12 s. 1., Pioneer Sugar 15-4, Russa Engineering 176, Steel Products 12-4, Tata Industrial Bank 8-8 prem s. 1., Ttitaghur Paper 357.

Government paper 3½ per cent was quoated at Rs. 58-8 and small lots were done at Rs. 59. War Bonds short loans at 98-10, 1925 at 97-12 and 1923 at 97-8 per cent.

Exchange:—Bank Telegraphic Transfer one shilling five and five-eighth pence and Demand Bills one shilling five and three-fourth, pence.

CAUSE LIST.

BOARD FOR MONDAY, THE 17TH OF JANUARY, 1921.

In the Division Court No. 46.
BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE MARTEN.
In the Division Court No. 40.
SUIT FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL
LONG CAUSE.

941-17—Payne and Co., The Advocate-General of Bombay v. Yusuffally Ibrahimji and ors, Merwanji K & Co., Little & Co., Part heard.

BEFORE THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PRATT.

In the Division Court No. 46.
SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL
SHORT CAUSES RENT SUITS,

3060-20—Sham M & H Trimbacklal Tribhhowandas & anr., v. Keshrimal Shivdhanji a firm Payne and Co.
806-20—Shamrao M & H Trimbacklal & anr. v. Keshrimal Shivdhanji a firm Payne & Co.
2806-20 Judah and S. Simon Reuben v. Peters and Co. a firm.
2807-20—Judah & S. Simon Reuben v. John W Papi
2808-20—Merwanji K & Co., Kawasha Sorabji Panwalla v. The Belgaum Dveria and Trading Co., a firm Pandia & Co.
2809-20—Matubhai J & M. Bapulal Maneklal Dadarwalla v. Soondrabai Manlorekarin Dastur &Co.
2842-20—Mehta L & Co., Chotubhai Hosseinbhai and anr v. Mahomedkhan Patton & ors. Daphtary F & D.
2886-20—Parack & Co., Nathumal Hemraj v. Venayeck Janardhan Pathahre Mantri & Co.
2888-20—Smetham B & L, Haji Ali Mahomed Haji Cassum v. Rashid Khudabux and ors. G. B Pandia.
2921-20—Merwanji K & Co., Ramdas Kaliandas and ors. v. Messrs Gerlinde Manilal & Kher.
2922-20—Merwanji K & Co., Ramdas Kaliandas and ors v. Haji Suleman Haji Yusub.
2686-20—Bhaishanker K & G. Dinbai widow v. Mirzamal Gajnnand a firm, Edgelow G W & Co.
2950-20—Mantri & Co., Khudabux Sherial Irani v. Bhagwanji Kawaji.
2956-20—Payne & Co., Ahmedbhoy Carimbhoy & ors v. Burjorji Framji Commissariatwalla, Captain & V.
2979-20—Merw K & Co., Bai Dhanbarji D Darbari v. Frank Statt, Payne & Co.
2980-20—Capt & V. Mungalal Naharmal v. Mrs. O. Sinkins.
2982-20MMehta L & Co., Madhavji Jesane v. Chhaganlal Jamnadas.
3007-20—Andrade & Co., Goculdas Devji v. Anandrao Bhawanrao Joshi.
3008-20—Payne & Co., Kaikhusroo Cursetji Lalkaka v. W M Pereira & ors.
3061-20—M B Chothia, Mahomed Hoosein Haji Tyeb v. Abdul Rehman Saidulla, Dabholkar & Co.
3081-20—Judah & S. Sinha Heskel Sopher v. Mrs. Abedin Peerbhoy & Co., Madhowji K & Co.
3084-20—Judah & S, Sinha Heskel Sopher v. Bakubhai Manscokhbhai, Madhowji K & Co.

BEFORE THE HON. MR JUSTICE KAJIJI

In the Division Court No. 43.
SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL
LONG GAUSES.

1406-19—Ty D & Co., Amichand Khimchand & anr v. Rahimtulla Allipha, M B Chottia, Part heard.
SHORT CAUSES.
2723-20—Ard H D & Co., D K G L Narayen & Co., a firm v. Chapsey Dossa & & ors, Math R & Ch, Part heard, 13-12-20.
454-20—N C Dalal, Chandulal Dharamsey firm v. Narandas Anandilal a firm, Part heart, 14-12-20.
LONG CAUSES
2968-20—Ard H D & Co., Haji Hafed Haji Jaffer Mahomed v. Mahomed Yusuf Haji Sidik, Mer K & Co., Part heard, 10-1-20.
L A Reference 1-20—A Kirku Smith, In Re Government v. Jamshedji N Wadia & ors, Wadia G & Co.
FOR HEARING ON EXCEPTIONS TO COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.
356-17—Motichand & D. Dada Haji Essak v. Manchershaw Nusserwanji Chandabhai, Nanu H & Co.
TESTAMENTARY SUITS.
22 of 1919 Re Laxman Kashiram Tewari—Amarchand and M. Balwant Kashiram Tewari v Sonibai Widow of Laxman Kashiram Tewari, Patell and Ex
5 of 1920 Re Thakar Dhanji Walji—Matu J and M. Bhagbai Widow of Walji Naranji v Thacker Bhanji and Kanji, Dharamsi and Co.
SHORT CAUSES.
2756-20—Dikshit M & Co., Jamnadas Tricumdas & Co. a firm v. Jayantilal Ghelabhai Munsiff Dharamsi & Co.
LONG CAUSES.
1924-20—Mantr. and Co. Bai Pulab v Jivanlal Harilal, Ardeshir H D and Co.
2182-20—Payne & Co., Ismail A H Moosa v Th eMercantile Bank of India Ld. Craw B & Co.
1543-19—Raghavaya N & Co., Chhaganlal Girdharilal v. Mahomedally Abdulji Chagan & anr. Khanderao L & M.
1668-19—Raghavaya N and Co. Chhaganlal Girdharlal v Mahomedally Abdulji Chagan and anr, Khanderao L & M.
1188-19—G B Pandya, Dhoormal Shivnarayen v Himatlal Vastachnd Dalal, Edgelow G W and Co.
1116-20—Daphtary F and D, Sakarchand Talakchand & Sons v. Ayub Noor Mahomed Durbar a firm, Ardeshir H D & Co.
717-20—Amin and D, Jasbhai Narsidas Patell & anr v. Sakrabhai Motilal Shah, Motichand and D.
1404-20—Ardeshir H D & Co., Messrs Polsons Ld. v. Messrs S E Patell & Co. a firm, M B Chothia.
377-17—Edgloew G W & Co., Anant & Co. a firm v. Messrs Symington Cox and Co. a firm, Smetham B & L, For Postponement.

BEFORE THE HON. MR. JUSTICE FAWCETT.

In the Diivsion Court No. 53.
LONG CAUSES.

1131-17—Dastur and Co., Jethabhai Hirji v. Jethabhai Nursey and ors. Ardeshir H D & Co. Mulla and Mulla Wadia G & Co. Purnanand & Ch Captain and V.
2311-20—Bhai K & G, Manilal Mayabhai a firm v. Mathuradas and Co., a firm Purshotumrai & Co.

ALL-INDIA RAILWAYMEN'S CONFERENCE.

FIRST SESSION IN BOMBAY FROM FEBY. 4 TO 6.

The above Conference will meet in Bombay on the 4th, 5th and 6th February, 1921, under the presidency of Lala Lajpatrai.

(2) Several Unions and other Railwaymen from the mofussil have written to cooperate and letters of cooperation are being received every day.

(3) All arrangements for holding the Conference, accommodation and other conveniences for the intending Delegates, are ready.

(4) The President of the Railway Board at Simla has been requested to instruct the railway authorities of the different Railways in India, to issue free passes and give other facilities to the railwaymen who will be attending the Conference.

(5) The Unions and Associations at Rangoon, Madras, U. P. and Northern India have wired to the Central Office here finally settling matters regarding delegates, etc. Lala Lajpat Rai is coming to Bombay in the beginning of February. The Agent of the G. I. P. Railway has promised all sympathy with the movement and also to give every facility to the intending delegates.

All Communications should be addressed to the Secretaries, the All-India Railwaymen's Conference, 123, Esplanade Road, Bombay. (Telegraphic Address:—"Railwaymen, Bombay").

PRESENT RLY. BOARD SHOULD BE ABOLISHED.

MR. T. R. NOLAN'S EVIDENCE.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 13.

Giving evidence before the Railway Committee to-day, Mr. T. R. Nolan, Agent, Assam Bengal Railway said, Indian Railways should not be entirely state-owned and state-managed. This would lead to excessive centralisation and standardisation. The supply of funds for railway purchases had been inadequate for new construction and improvement works. There would be great lack of continuity in a board domiciled in India. Capital funds should be raised both in India and in England. The present Railway Board had failed to satisfy the public and it should be abolished. It ough to be above the faintest suspicion of partiality. It was impossible for any member of the Railway Board to preserve an attitude of neutrality if he had the prospect of an attractive seat on the London Board of a Company after retirement from Government service.

MR. SMYTH ON RLY. POLICY.

"TO ATTRACT INVESTORS FROM WHOLE WORLD."

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 14.

Mr. M. Watson Smyth, Vice-President, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, in the course of evidence before the Indian Railway Committee to-day dealt at great length ith the question of Railway Finance. He said that the Bengal Chamber of Commerce had for many years past consistently urged the imperative necessity for a more liberal allotment of funds for railway system. The general situation, with respect to transportation, was worse to-day than in 1908, with results that some firms had to close for want of coal.

In the present stages of industrial developments in India railways should completely equip them to meet that demand. It might be suggested that money for this purpose could be found either by Government's continuing to borrow for general purposes and alloting to railway all that could be spared or by Government's raising special railway loan or by allowing companies' responsibility of raising money. Of the three alternatives, the first could be dismissed, and as for the remaining two, neither the Government had the confidence of investors to raise such a loan nor could the Companies raise such huge amount, especially when Indian investors preferred more speculative investments than Railway stocks. The Chamber was, therefore, of opinion that an attempt be made so to frame the Indian Railway policy as to attract investors from the whole Empire or even the whole world. This would result in expediting development of Indian railways.

BRITISH MISSION AT KABUL

FRIENDLY RECEPTION BY AMIR.

(Associated Press.)

DELHI, Jan. 14.

The latest news from Kabul states that the Amir has already received the British mission with much courtesy and cordiality. A small set of wireless apparatus was taken by the mission to Afghanistan and Kabul is now in wireless communication with Peshawar.

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ARRIVALS.

Jan. 15.

S S Gazen Maru, Yoshiaka, Calcutta.
S S Lady Blak, Kimber, Calicut.
S S Santa Clara, Dexter, Calcutta.
S S Chakla, Darvell, Karachi.

Jan. 15.

S S Ataka Maru, Treye, Rangoon.
S S Pasha, Oakeshott, Angerhead.
S S Achilles, Maris, Dunkirk.
S S Barala, Wilkinson, Busreh.
S S Kashgar, Smith, China and Japan.

The following vessels began to load on Saturday:—
Steamer Santa Clara for New York.
Steamer Yes Halling for New York.

S S Gazen Maru:—The steamei Gazen Maru, 1930 tons, Captain T Yoshiaka, arrived in harbour on Saturday from Calcutta, with a cargo of coal.

S S Lady Blak:—The B I S N Co's steamer Lady Blak, 531 tons, Captain C O Kimber, arrived in harbour on Saturday from Calicut, with a general cargo and 3 passengers.

S S Santa Clara:—The Shaw Wallace Co's Dexter, arrived in harbour on Saturday from steamer Santa Clara, 3738 tons, Captain G S Calcutta, with a general cargo.

S S Chakla:—The B I S N Co's Karachi mail steamer Chakla, 1727 tons, Captain H F Darvell, arrived in harbour on Saturday from Karachi, with mail, a general cargo and 170 passengers.

S S Ataka Maru:—The K N Co's steamer Ataka Maru, 2380 tons, Captain M Treye, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Rangoon, with ballast.

S S Pasha:—The T M Co's steamer Pasha, 3195 tons, Captain C A Oakeshott, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Angerhead, with a general cargo.

S S Achilles:—The King King Co's steamer Achilles, 2773 tons, Captain P Maris, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Dunkirk, with a cargo of manganese ore.

S S Barala:—The B I S N Co's steamer Barala, 1899 tons, Captain O Wilkinson, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Busreh, with a general cargo.

EXPORT.

Jan. 15.

S S Elysia for Liverpool:—1966 cwts linseed oil cake, Bruel and Co; 1620 cwts myrabollams, C Jivanlal and Co; 165 cwts rapeseed, Louis Dreyfus.

S S Elysia for Marseilles:—50 bales cotton, Khimji Vishram and Co.

S S Mangala for Antwerp:—440 bales cotton, Bombay Co; 550 bales cotton, E Spinner and Co; 168 bales cotton, Ralli Bros; 4000 cwts groundnut, Louis Dreyfus.

S S Hazelside for Dunkirk:—365 bales cotton, N M K Kaisha.

S S Hazelside for Middlesborough:—1200 tons manganese ore, Central India Mining Co.

S S Yeshoking for Philadelphia:—8250 tons manganese ore, Turner Morrison and Co.

S S Alipore for Kobe:—1100 bales cotton, Gosho K Kaisha; 600 bales cotton, Takoku M K Kaisha; 800 bales cotton, Yokohama K Kaisha.

IMPORT.

Jan. 15.

S S Kilindini from Calicut, Agents E I S N Co:—1122 baskets green ginger, 101 baskets dry ginger, 291 bags groundnuts, 130 bags potatoes, 41 cases cocoanut oil, 36 bags copra, 271 bags fresh ginger, 264 bags cocoanut, 5 bags tamarind, 40 bags pepper.

S S Karachi from Alleppey, Agents E I S N Co:—15 baskets raw ginger, 379 bags dry ginger, 137 robbins copra.

S S Karmala from London, Agents Mackinnon Mackenzie and Co:—311 bars silver, 60 kegs 21 cases paint, 35 cases gin, 30 packages boric acid, 10 cases chease, 163 cases stores, 330 cases wine, 387 cases beer, 25 cases spirit, 81 cases glass bottles, 17 cases glassware, cases whisky, 113 bales paper, 10 cases blan 135 cases chocolates, 104 casks dyes, 53 cases books, 37500 pieces blue bricks, 4 boxes sovereign, 1 box specie, 1000 casks cement, 17 drums varnish, 9 cases envelopes, 16 cases saffron, 195 cases champagne, 175 cases liquor, 5 bags sugar, 10 cases tobacco.

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BOMBAY RACING SEASON.

EIGHTH EXTRA MEETING.

POIGNANT WINS THE NEW MARKET PLATE.

(By our Racing Correspondent.)

The Eighth Extra Meeting of the Bombay Racing Season was held in pleasant weather yesterday, at Mahalaxmi, when a large attendance was present. There were eight events on the card and large fields started in all the races except the Kempton Park Plate. The public seemed to have had a good time as favourites won in most events.

The three first events of the day were the three divisions of the Mosul Plate for newly landed Arabs. In the first race Mikado won handsomely from Braganza who was reputed to have done an excellent gallop. The second division was won by Triumph an outsider, Firjah the favourite came fourth and Leopold a heavily supported contestant secured second place. Khaboor, a hot favourite, won the third division from Marquis. In each of these three races the rider Sayed Saleh rode horse No. 13. which was rather a strange coincidence

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Only six started in the St. Leonard's Handicap. In this race Le Vergnier, Mozsley and Atrocity were at most equally backed. Atrocity won from Le Vergnier after a very tight finish. The public did not at all appear pleased with the Judge's verdict as every one would have it that Le Vergnier beat Atrocity. From the grand stand it did, in effect, appear that Le Vergnier won; but the angle is deceptive from there. The person behind the wire in the Judge's box is the best judge under such circumstances. Atrocity is by Roi Herode—Morrow. The two sons of Roi Herode won yesterday as Roi Grison is also by that well known sire.

The scratching of Tipperary in the Sion Plate caused disappointment as he would have started a hot favourite. In his absence Chieftain attracted most attent on and Benares and Amir Aswa[illegible] demand. The distance [illegible] the public was arther uncertain about the result. As it turned out to be an outsider won, as Huntsman was pretty neglected. This horse lately transferred from the third division ran a fine race under the able horsemanship of that modest jockey, Cracknell. Benares secured third place and Hakum, who is no weight carrier, blew off far from home.

The most important event of the day was the New Market Plate of 6 furlongs for Horses in the 1st and 2nd Divisions. Not Much, who was much spoken of, declined as did also Pine Tree. Christmas Holiday attracted great support and Poignant was not neglected. Poignant won a fine race from Brendan. Christmas Holiday could not do it in this class. But Love Glass again caused surprised as he came with a terrible rush and secured third place. He is certainly a good gelding this animal.

A poor field started in the Kempton Park Plate of 7 furlongs for horses in the 2nd division. The public was badly let down when Belle Voyageuse, the favourite was defeated. One is afraid that Belle Voyageuse was very much over estimated in this race; the public forget that it was her first running in the 2nd division and over seven furlongs. They also forget that Treasury who won the Curzon Plate of 7 furlongs at Calcutta when he carried 7.11, beating Atrocity, and a good field, was absolutely late loose in this race. One wonders whether the handicapper remembered that recent Calcutta victory and the timing of that race before allotting the weights in the Kempton Park Plate. Was it possible for the small mare, game as she is, to beat such a redoubtable adversary with 1 pound more than what he carried?

A field of 14 horses in the 3rd division started in the Queensland Plate of 7 furlongs. In this race several horses transferred from the 2nd division ran and naturally they were looked upon as having the best chances in such a field. For this reason, Dialect was well fancied as was also Footman. Dialect nearly won after doing the running from the start. Roi Grison who came from nowhere won by a short head. Claim A, an ex-second division horse secured third place. While some of these horses are still too good for the 3rd division, some of the third division horses should be relagated to a fourth division as is the case in Calcutta.

The Turf Club has wisely provided seats for trainers and jockeys, but no such provision has been made for owners who are not members of the Club. This is a pity, as owing to the congested condition of the stands it is often difficult to find accommodation. Many owners experience the mortification of not being able to secure seats and consequently are not in a position to watch how their horses run in a race.

Motor Wrap who was declared to start in the Queensland Plate was found to be lame and was prevented at the last moment from leaving the paddock.

The racing yesterday was at times very stormy round the turn, many horses being interfered with; it is desirable for some stipendiary stewards to be vigilant in the pigeon boxes round the turn and to see that foul riding is not indulged in.

Details:—

THE MOSUL PLATE. Division I.—Distance 6 furlongs, 41 yards.

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second, Rs. 300; third, Rs. 200. For Arabs landed on or since 1st July, 1920, direct from the country of foaling W. A. (6 Furlong Scale). (Landing Allowance Clause in General Conditions does not apply) Allowance—Ponies 14 hands and under, 4lbs Penalties—Winners once 7lbs., twice 10lbs., Oftener 14lbs.

Mr M Goculdass' MIKADO, 9-5, Huxley ... 1
Mr Mahomed Mustapha bin Talib's BRAGANZA, 9-3, Harrison 2
Mr Sulleman Ghumlas' TANTALUS, 8-13, Bowley 3
Mr M H Sharaballi's TRAFALGAR, 8-9, Donnelly 4

Also ran:—Sirhad 9-3, Balkan 9-2, Limerick 8-13, Gulbahar 8-13, Vulcan 8-13, Yorick 8-12, Faisal 8-12, Imperial 8-12, Marine 8-9, Wadi 8-8, Wordi 8-4.

Did not run:—White Spot, Honeybee and Silver Grey.

The race:—They got away well together when Wadi made the early running from Tantalus. Mikado and Braganza, Gulbahar also followed the leaders. At the 2nd furlong post Mikado took command and though Braganza showed fight he won easily by 3 lengths. Tantalus placed third 2 lengths behind. 1 length.

Time:—1 min. 26 1/5 secs.
Favourite:—Mikado.
1st Tote paid:—Win Rs. 16-8: Places Rs. 12 13-8 and 38.
2nd Tote paid:—Win Rs. 10: Places Rs. 7, 8 and 18.
Trainer:—A. Hoyt.

THE MOSUL PLATE. Division II.—Distance 6 furlongs, 41 yards.

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second, Rs. 300; third, Rs. 200. For Arabs landed on or since 1st July, 1920, direct from the country of foaling W. A. (6 Furlong Scale). (Landing Allowance Clause in General Conditions does not apply). Allowance—Ponies 14 hands and under, 4lbs Penalties—Winners once 7lbs., twice 10lbs., Oftener 14lbs.

Mr Gubber Mohamed's TRIUMPH, 8-8, Donnelly 1
Messrs H Ebrahimjee and P Sursingh's LEOPOLD, 8-8, Lambert 2
Mr Sulleman Ghumlas' TELEPHONE, 8-13, Bowley 3
Mr Elia Abdulnoor's FIRJAH, 9-6, Easton 4

Also ran:—Silver Mane 9-3, Connaught 9-3, Fortis 9-3, Willonyx 9-2, Cairo 8-13, Dervish 8-13, Almaz 8-12, Paragon 8-9, Persian Star 8-9, Gulmarg 8-8, Fahtak 8-8, Monarch 8-4.

Did not run:—Trywell and Kahatan.

The race:—Willonyx, Telephone, Triumph and Firjah were in order when they left the barrier, the order changed at the 2nd furlong where Willonyx fell away, Leopold then moved into position and followed Triumph. Firjah and Telephone, Triumph won without much effort by 3½ lengths from Leopold with Telephone third 2½ lengths behind. 2 lengths between third and fourth.

Time:—1 min. 27 secs.
Favourite:—Firjah.
1st Tote paid:—Win Rs. 257-8: Places Rs 71-8, 21 and 24-8.
2nd Tote paid:—Win Rs. 219; Places Rs. 60-8, 12-8 and 12.
Trainer:—Faraj bin Sanad.

THE MOSUL PLATE. Division III.—Distance 6 furlongs, 41 yards.

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second, Rs. 300; third Rs. 200. For Arabs landed on or since 1st July, 1920, direct from the country of foaling W. A. (6 Furlong Scale). (Landing Allowance Clause in General Conditions does not apply) Allowance—Ponies 14 hands and under, 4lbs Penalties—Winners once 7lbs., twice 10lbs., Oftener 14lbs.

Mr Ali bin Talib's KHABOOR, 9-3, Harrison 1
Messrs Ahmed Hazamy and Sattar's MARQUIS, 8-8, Barnett 2
Mr Saleh Moosa's MITEB, 9-2, Lambert ... 3
Mr Ebrahim Sulleman Bahar's ATLAS, 9-2, Longhurst 4

Also ran:—Jassim 9-2, Romulus 9-2, Victorious 8-13, Potentate 8-9, Patriot 8-9, Trick 8-8, Sallamah 8-8, Timon 8-8, Tookmachi 8-8, Tartar 8-4, Monitor 8-4, Jericho 8-4.

Did not run:—Tyrant and Logic.

The race:—Jericho was most prominent when the field was in action, with Khaboor lying second and Marquis third, the remainder of the field was bunched up behind the leaders. At the 2nd furlong post Atlas joined the leaders and entered the straight alongside Khaboor who had outpaced Jericho. Miteb and Marquis then made their efforts, but Khaboor won in a canter by 10 lengths, neck, neck.

Time:—1 min. 28 1/5 secs.
Favourites:—Potentate and Khaboor.
1st Tote paid:—Win Rs. 31; Places Rs. 16-8, 22-8 and 73.
2nd Tote paid:—Win Rs. 14-8; Places Rs 8-8, 12 and 48.
Trainer:—Owner.

THE ST. LEONARD'S HANDICAP.—Distance 1 mile.

Winner, Rs. 4,000; second, Rs. 1,250; third, Rs. 750. A Handicap for Horses in the 2nd and 3rd Divisions, that landed in this country during 1920.

Messrs G E D Langley and A Geddis' ATROCITY, 8-3, Barnett 1
Mr R R S's LE VERGUIER, 8-2, Lambert 2
Mr Noble's BARTO, 8-1, Buckley 3
Mr. Hastings' GUNDA, 7-5, Bullock 4

Also ran:—Catchup 9-4, Moosley 9-3.

Did not run:—Treasury and Laodicea.

The race:—When they left the starting gate Mossley was last away, Barto cracked the pace with Catchup second, and Gunda third, there was little change until they arrived at the second furlong where Le Verguier, and Atrocity closed on Barto, Catchup retiring. The three named entered the straight in a cluster and after a determined finish Atrocity won from Le Verguier by a short head, with Barto a short neck away, ¼ length.

Time:—1 min. 41 1/5 secs.
Favourite:—Le Verguier.
1st Tote paid:—Win Rs. 44-8; Places Rs. 21 and 15-8.
2nd Tote paid:—Win Rs. 26-8; Places Rs. 12-8 and 9-8.
Trainer:—F. W. Fletcher.

THE SION PLATE.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Winner, Rs. 1,500; second, Rs. 500; third, Rs. 200. A High Weight Handicap for Arabs in the 2nd Division.

Mr A E Stephen's HUNTSMAN, 7-0 (cd 7-3), Cracknell 1
Mr Ahmed Hazamy's PENINSULA, 7-0, Rose 2
Mr H R Badaha's BENARES, 8-12, Bowley 3
Mr Bright's GOLD KING, 7-9, Easton 4

Also ran:—Hakum 9-2, Ajax 8-12, Chieftain 8-11, Fury 8-5, Amir Aswad 7-10, Argonaut 7-6, Vershan 7-4, Kitchener 7-2, Shanavaz 7-2.

Did not run:—Tipperary, Nevermind, Dardanelles, Golshan and Dublin.

The race:—When they appeared in sight Ajax was at the head of affairs, accompanied by Argonaut, Vershan and Huntsman. They maintained the above order till the 7 furlong post where Ajax retired from the fray, Argonaut soon followed suit, then the order was Huntsman, Peninsula and Hakum, with Benares and Gold King at the girths of the leaders. Huntsman came first into the straight, followed by Benares and Peninsula, a keen tussle ensued between Huntsman and Peninsula, the former winning by a head, 1 length, ¾ length.

Time:—2 mins. 55 3/5 secs.
Favourite:—Chieftain.
1st Tote paid:—Win Rs. 133, Places Rs. 43-8, 59 and 43.
2nd Tote paid:—Win Rs. 66; Places Rs. 25, 30-8 and 17-8.
Trainer:—Yussuff.

THE NEWMARKET PLATE.—Distance 1 mile

Winner, Rs. 10,000; second, Rs. 3,000; third, Rs. 2,000. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 1st and 2nd Divisions.

Mr G E D Langley's POIGNANT, 9-6, Barnett 1
Mr Frank's BRENDAN, 8-3, Orrel 2
Mr Hastings' LOVE GLASS, 7-7, Bullock ... 3
Mr Humble's CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY, 7-13, Townsend 4

Also ran:—Senparison 8-11, Ardvreck 8-0, Antic 7-13, Mademoiselle Foch 7-12, Penny Pie 7-5.

Did not run:—Not Much and Pine Tree.

The race:—Mademoiselle Foch was quickest in her strides, pursued by Brendan, Poignant, Love Glass and Christmas Holiday, Ardvreck was left. They ran in this order till the home turn, here Poignant took the rails with Brendan on the outside and Love Glass right away. On the outside of both the leaders, a splendid finish resulted between the trio, and resulted in a victory for Poignant by a neck, from Brendan, a short head separating Love Glass, ¾ length.

Time:—1 min. 40 2/5 secs.
Favourite:—Christmas Holiday.
1st Tote paid:—Win Rs. 32-8; Places Rs 16-8, 28-8 and 26-8.
2nd Tote paid:—Win Rs. 18-8; Places Rs 9-8, 14 and 13.
Trainer:—F. W. Fletcher.

THE KEMPTON PARK PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs, 65 yards.

Winner, Rs. 4,000; second, Rs. 1,250; third, Rs. 750. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 2nd Division.

Mr M Goculdass' TREASURY, 7-12, Herbert 1
Capt P Bouvet's BELLE VOYAGEUSE II, 7-13, Townsend 2
Mr R R S's CYANITE, 8-2, Lambert 3
Messrs Pine and Patel's PINE TREE, 7-11, Harrison 4

Also ran:—Giacomi 8-11, Ramadan 7-7, Anthracite 7-7.

Did not run:—Christmas Holiday, Owen Roe, Catchup and Liberty.

The race:—Giacomi dwelt when the rest started. Anthracite made the pace from Treasury, Cyanite and Pine Tree. Belle Voyageuse II lying fifth, Anthracite gave up at the 2nd furlong, leaving Treasury and Cyanite at the head of the field, Treasury and Cyanite entered the straight abreast with Belle Voyageuse II making a run, Treasury shook off Belle Voyageuse II and went away to win easily by 2 lengths, 1½ lengths, ¾ length.

Time:—1 min. 31 2/5 secs.
Favourite:—Belle Voyageuse II.
1st Tote paid:—Win Rs. 27-8; Places Rs. 15-8 and 14-8.
2nd Tote paid:—Win Rs. 27; Places Rs. 11-8 and 7-8.
Trainer:—J. Robinson.

THE QUEENSLAND PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs, 65 yards.

Winner, Rs. 2,000; second, Rs. 700; third, Rs. 300. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 3rd Division.

Mr R H Gubagan's ROI GRISON, 7-8, Townsend 1
Mr M Goculdass' DIALECT, 8-5, Herbert ... 2
Mr A J De Souza's CLAIM A, 8-6, Barden 3
Mr R R S's FOOTMAN, 8-0, Lambert 4

Also ran:—Japanese Pine 9-4, Elyra 8-12, Gipsy's Advice 8-9, White Bell 7-8, She She 8-4, Kaloolah 7-12, St. Agnes Eve 8-2, My Patsey 7-11, Another Night 7-7, Troop Leader 7-3, Vlinger 7-2.

Did not run:—Motor Wrap and White Simon.

The race:—A very bad start was witnessed, Dialect at once proceeded to the front, attended by Elyra, Another Night, My Patsey with Roi Grison last. This was the order till near home turn, where Dialect maintained the lead, here Roi Grison was seen to put in a late run and passing the leaders he went on to win after a brilliant finish by a short head, head, Claim A placed third a head behind.

Time:—1 min. 32 1/5 secs.
Favourites:—Dialect, Kaloolah and Another Night.
1st Tote paid:—Win Rs. 101; Places Rs. 28-8, 20 and 115-8.
2nd Tote paid:—Win Rs. 36-8; Places Rs. 13, 16-8 and 46-8.
Trainer:—G. Bell.

CALCUTTA RACES.

SECOND MEETING—SECOND DAY.

CALLY WINS THE GOVERNOR'S CUP.

(By our Racing Correspondent.)

CALCUTTA Jan. 15.

There was a record attendance at the races to-day, the chief attractions being the Governor's Cup and Metropolitan. The programme was a long one consisting of eight events, in the majority of which good finishes were witnessed. Among the first four horses, China Egg's performance in Tollygunge Plate was brilliant. He made no bones of his crushing impost 12 st. 2 lbs., and would have won but for his jockey thinking that he had the race won of the three divisions of Prinsep Plate, the first and third went to Mr. Swan, and the second division went to Mr. Thomas. For the Governor's Cup, First Flier and Unitoi both belonging to Mr. Thaddeus shared favouritism. First Flier did not show out prominently, but Unitoi did, and finished second, and another of his stable companion finished third, but the winner came from Butlin's stables. It was Cally who ran true as steel and constituted a record for this distance. The mare belongs to Messrs. Donetil and through Pompano, and on him totalizators paid princely dividend of Rs. 1,117. Eudoxus favourite for this race dwelt at start, and lost all his chances. Nevertheless he ran a great race and finished fourth, about a length off from winner.

CALCUTTA, Jan. 15.

THE NEW PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 2,000; second Rs. 700; third Rs. 300. A High Weight Handicap for Country-bred Horses 3 years old and upwards.

Raja Sing and Kour Sing's SARFARAZ, 10-2, Pullin 1
Mr Fine's SUGAR CANE, 9-12, Ruiz 2
Mr Ali's BLACK FRIAR, 7-7, Stokes 3
H H the Maharaja of Mysore's BLACK TOP, 7-2 (cd 7-5), Meekings 4

Also ran:—Belgraven 7-12, Artists Model 7-10.

Won by 1½ lengths, 2½ lengths between second and third, 3 lengths between third and fourth.

Time:—1 min. 17¼ secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 23; Places Rs. 13 and 12.

Betting:—Evens Sugar Cane, 3 to 2 Sarfaraz, tens Black Friar, twenty-fives the others.

The race:—Artists Model and Black Top were quickest to find their legs, Sarfaraz being last. After going a furlong Sarfaraz began improving his position. Near the distance the order was Sugar Cane, Sarfaraz and Black Friar. But Sarfaraz assumed command after going few strides more.

THE TOLLYGUNGE PLATE.—Distance 2¼ miles.

Winner Rs. 5,000; second Rs. 2,500; third Rs. 1,500. A Handicap. Steeplechase for Horses.

Messrs Byass and Sheppard's REIGNING STAR, 11-2, Doy 1
Mr Jone's CHINA EGG, 12-2, Stuart 2
Mr Scott's BRANDICHOC, 9-7, Lyons 3
Mr Donetil's HENRIETTE, 9-0, Colbert ... 4

Also ran:—Irish Field 11-0 (refused), Isle o' Sky 9-2

Won by a head, 8 lengths between second and third.

Time:—4 mins. 56 4/5 secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 25; Places Rs. 13 and —.

Betting:—3 to 2 China Egg and Reigning Star, fives Irish Field, twelves Brandichoc twenty-fives the others

The race:—Brandichoc showed way to Isle o' Sky, Irish Field and Reigning Star, China Egg being last far on the other side. Irish Field refused and Reigning Star and China Egg began closing up two fences from home. Reigning Star was leading, but China was first over the last fence on the straight. After a great finish Reigning Star just won.

THE HOWRAH PLATE.—Distance 1 mile.

Winner Rs. 5,000; second Rs. 2,000; third Rs. 1,000. A Handicap for Horses in the 2nd Division.

Mr De Souza's VIOLINIST, 8-4, Higgins ... 1
Mr Beg Mahomed's EAGER TO, 7-11, Morris 2
Raja Sing and Kour Sing's LADY MYRA, 7-2 (cd 7-5), Meekings 3
Mr Ever's LIMTONS, 7-11, Mason 4

Also ran:—Red Quill 9-10, Allan Brig 9-6, Kinsale 8-6, Passing 8-5, Coryphee 8-0, Gunning 8-0, Poseidon 7-12 (cd 8-1), Hapton 7-8, Soviet 7-3.

Won by a short neck. A head between second and third. A head between third and fourth.

Time:—1 min. 39 3/5 secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 35; Places Rs. 18, 18 and 42.

Betting:—Threes Violinist and Allan Brig, fours Eager To, sixes Passing, longer prices the others.

The race:—Violinist jumped off the moment the gate went up, he secured a three lengths' lead by the time they reached the six furlong post with Allan Brig second. A little later the last named gave place to Passing. Violinist led into the straight from Passing with Eager To, Lady Myra and Limtons all chasing him home. Eager To broke away from whip and Violinist just won.

THE PRINSEP PLATE. Division I.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 2,000; second Rs. 1,000; third Rs. 500. A Handicap for Horses in the 3rd Division.

Mr Swan's PICKET, 8-8, Northmore 1
Mr Raikut's SYNAI, 7-11 (cd 8-0), Flynn ... 2
Mr Wilson's PICK OF THE BUNCH, 8-8, Dobie 3
Mr Thaddeus' BALIRA, 8-6, Meekings 4

Also ran:—Jack 9-12, Lady Victorine 8-9, Quartezite 8-9, Polly Hopkins 8-5, Enchantor 8-3, Galley Law 8-1 (cd 8-3), Black Jess 8-0, No Ball 8-0, Talcum 7-11, Try All 7-11, Lillie Bridge 7-0 (cd 7-1).

Won by 1½ lengths, ¾ length between second and third, ¾ length between third and fourth.

Time:—1 min. 27 secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 53; Places Rs. 20, 116 and 22.

Betting:—7 to 2 Lady Victorine, fours Picket, fives No Ball, sixes Pick of the Bunch, twelves Balira, longer prices the others.

The race:—Synai was quickest away. He led from Balira with Pick of the Bunch and Lady Victorine near by. From the near distance Picket came strong and going strong won easily. Pick of the Bunch assumed third place.

THE METROPOLITAN STAKES.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 10,000; second Rs. 3,000; third Rs. 2,000. A Handicap for Horses

Mr Donetil's POMPANO, 7-9, Bond 1
Mr Swan's GOLDGAINER, 8-13, Northmore 2
H H the Maharani of Cooch Behar's NOUTBUTWEEL, 8-12, Harrison 3
Mr Avasia's EUDOXUS, 7-10, Dobie 4

Also ran:—Galway Gate 9-1, Star of India 8-11, Pastime 8-11, Pretty Girl 8-8, Dorania 8-1 Lover True 7-0.

Won by a length, a short head between second and third, a head between third and fourth.

Time:—1 min. 13 3/5 secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 1,117; Places Rs. 107, 15 and 44.

Betting:—5 to 4 Eudoxus, fours Galway Gate and Goldgainer, eights Dorania, longer prices the others.

The race:—Eudoxus dwelt and lost a couple of lengths. Galway Gate and Dorania jumped with a lead with Pretty Girl next, Then came Noutbutweel and the rest. Pompano shot to the front near the distance and stalling off the hot challenge of Goldgainer won comfortably.

THE GOVERNOR'S CUP.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Winner a Cup and Rs. 15,000 (Cup value £100 presented by H. E. Lord Ronaldshay); second Rs. 5,000; third Rs. 2,500. A Handicap for Horses.

Messrs Donetil and Page's CALLY, 7-8, Stokes 1
Mr Thaddeus' UNITOI, 8-8, Meekings 2
Mr Thaddeus' MISRILAL, 7-8, Walker 3
Mr De Souza's MORDENNIS, 8-13, Wood ... 4

Also ran:—First Flier 9-7, Splendid Spur 9-0, King's Fare 8-11, Crenides 8-7, Simons Choice 8-6, William Allenby 7-0 (cd 7-3).

Won by 3/4 length, 1 length between second and third, short head between third and fourth.

Time:—3 minutes.
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 111. Places Rs. 22, Rs. 17 and Rs. 19.

Betting:—9 to 4 Unitoi, twos on First Flier, sevens on Misrilal, tens on Cally, longer prices for the others.

The race:—Misrilal assumed command from Crenides and Simons Choice. Then came Cally with Unitoi next, and First Flier last. There was no change till near half-mile post, where Simons Choice went to the front near distance. Cally forged ahead with Unitoi second, Misrilal coming again took up the third place.

THE PRINCEP PLATE. Division II.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 2,000; second Rs. 1,000; third Rs. 500. Handicap for horses in the 3rd Division.

Mr Thomas' TOO TIRED, 8/5, Pullin ... 1
Mr Fawcett's TRACEABLE, 8/9, Mason ... 2
Mr Owen's VALENTINE'S BROOK, 8/6, Harrison 3
Mr Soutar's WHITE SAPPHYRE, 6/0, Walker 4

Also ran:—Port Neuf 9/0, Gold Reef 9/0, Royal Sign 8/11, Verland Rose 8/6, Tourney 8/3, Ortogo 8/3, Doublewin 8/3, Aplook 7/13, La Reve 7/7.

Won by ¾ lengths, a short head between second and third, a short head between third and fourth.

Time:—1 minute 28 seconds.
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 54, Places Rs. 20, Rs. 45 and Rs. 58.

Betting:—Twos on Pont Neuf, threes on Too Tired, sevens on Verland Rose, longer prices for the others.

The race:—Ortogo shot to the front, and led them merrily with Too Tired next, and Pont Neuf never in hunt. Near the distance post, Too Tired took command, and never being troubled won from his stable companion Traceable.

THE PRINSEP PLATE. Division III.—Distance 7 fur ongs.

Winner Rs. 3,000; second Rs. 1,000; third Rs. 500. Handicap for horses in the 3rd Division.

Mr Swan's FIFE 8/12, Northmore 1
H H the Maharani of Cooch Behar's PRINCESS ILA, 8/9, Orchard 2
Mr Dees' SIMPLE SIMON, 8/8, Morris ... 3
Mr Cheraria's CARLESS, 8/5, O'Brien ... 4

Also ran:—One Too Many 8/1, Caddy 9/0, Slurbowe 8/12, Brickeen Bridge 8/12, Motringham 8/11, Adorable 8/4, Strange Likeness 7/5, Cross Swords 7/0.

Won by 1½ length, a head between second and third, ½ length between third and fourth.

Time:—1 minute 29 3/5 seconds.
Totalizators paid:—Winner Rs. 27. Places Rs. 13 and Rs. 14.

Betting:—5 to 2 on Fife, threes on Simple Simon, sixes on Barless, longer prices the others.

The race:—When the field came near it was seen that Carless was in front, but Fife fairly wore him down, and won cleverly.

MADRAS RACES.

(From Own Correspondent.)

MADRAS, Jan. 15.

In the Stakes and Bobbili Cup, the principal events of the day, the Duke presented cups to the owners of the winners of these two events. Of these, Mr. Newman Sanders, the popular and energetic Secretary of the Madras Race Club is recipient of Bobbili Cup. There were six events on the card. Of these four were won by favourites. In the Kollengode Plate Handicap for the Arab, the favourite was successful. In the Arcot Plate, Sibell de Langhton, who was declared favourite when the field opened gave place to King Melton. But the latter was not even placed. There were many who believed in the success of Ballymacad and Mitchell had to ride Sibell de Langhton for all he was worth to achieve honour. Large investments were made on Peshwa in the Midget Plate, and it was surprising that Marauder won the race and the favourite could not secure even a place. The most important event of the day was the Duke of Connaught Stakes. This was a high-weight handicap for horses in the third and fourth divisions. Ten horses were entered for the race. There was a considerable delay at the start. Royal Jewel, the favourite won. The entries were poor. For Bobbili Cup, only four out of seven were started. For this a cup valued at Rs. 500 was presented by the Rajha of Bobbili and Rs. 3,000 from the fund. The last race of the day was th Indian Merchants' plate for which Rs. 2,000 was presented by the Indian merchants of Madras. For both the Duke of Connaught Stakes and the Bobbili Cup, the winners' jockey was Mr. P. Brown. In addition he rode Helen Court, who won the Indian Merchants' Plate. Good business was done at bookmakers' and Parimutuel was greatly patronised. The following are the results:—

THE KOLLENGODE PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 1,000; second Rs. 300; third Rs. 200.

Khan Bahadur Hajee Ismail Sait's LOOKOUT, 9-1, Bond 1
Mr M Goculdass' RASHAD, 8-4 S J Meekings 2
Mr G A Marsh's COLONIAL, 8-11, P Brown 3

Also ran:—Markhor 9-3, Charley Grey 9-1, Commencement 8-9, Naseebdar 8-8, Lucky Star 8-3.

Betting:—6 to 4 Lookout, 5 to 1 Markhor, 6 to 1 Rashad and Colonial, 8 to 1 Naseebdar, 10 to 1 Charley Grey and Lucky Star, 12 to 1 Commencement.

Won by a head, 2½ lengths between second and third.

Time:—1 min. 30 4/5 secs.

Tote paid:—Win Rs. 30; Places Rs. 14, 18 and 14.

THE ARCOT PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 1,000; second Rs. 300; third Rs. 200.

The Maharajah of Mysore's SIBELL DE LAUGHTON, 9-9, Mitchell 1
The Rajah of Venkatagiri's BALLYMACAD, 8-8, P Brown 2
Mr G A Marsh's GOOD DAY, 7-13, Tymon 3

Also ran:—King Melton 9-1, Lord Robert 8-7, Viamertinghe 8-2, Stromboli 7-0, Night Watch II 7-0.

Betting:—Evens King Melton, 6 to 4 Sibell De Laughton, 4 to 1 Bally Macad, 8 to 1 Stromboli, 10 to 1 Viamertinghe and Good Day, 12 to 1 Lord Robert, 15 to 1 Night Watch II.

The race:—Bally Macad led from the start with Good Day as a close second. Near the post Sibell De Laughton passed them and won by half a length.

Time:—1 min. 38 secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 20; Places Rs. 10, 10 and 50.

THE MIDGET PLATE.—Distance 1¼ miles.

Winner Rs. 1,000; second Rs. 300; third Rs. 200.

Mr M Goculdass' MARAUDER, 9-10, S J Meekings 1
Mr T B Borajannah's MOONLIGHT, 7-4, Bona 2
Mr J H Nicoll's MITIGATION, 9-8, E S Grace 3

Also ran:—Peshwa 9-8, Nawabzada 9-6, Scotchpine 8-13, Viceroy 8-10, Cymbeline 7-12, Nimble 7-12.

Betting:—Evens Peshwa, 4 to 1 Marauder, 6 to 1 Mitigation, Cymbeline and Scotchpine, 5 to 2 Nimble and Moonlight, 7 to 1 Nawabzada, 10 to 1 Viceroy.

The race:—Moonlight led till the straight, when Marauder challenged and won easily by 2½ lengths. 6 lengths separated second and third.

Time:—2 mins. 37 1/5 secs.

Tote paid:—Win Rs. 47; Places Rs. 20, 13 and 37.

THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT STAKES.

Winner a Cup (value Rs. 1,000) and Rs. 3,000; second Rs. 1,200; third Rs. 800.

Mr R R S's ROYAL JEWEL, 9-12, P Brown 1
H H the Maharajah of Mysore's CERAGO, 10-4, Quinn 2
Messrs Cherry and Heaton's WEE DOTE, 8-9, R Grace 3

Also ran:—Buckbean 9-9, Binfield Grove 9-2, Linoburn 9-1, Two Gates 8-9, Tyran 8-9, Quite Grave 8-1, New Halls 8-1.

Betting:—6 to 4 Royal Jewel, Ceraco & Two Gates, 8 to 1 Wee Dote, 20 to 1 the rest.

The race:—To a good start Tyran took the lead. At the distance Ceraco took the running and was shortly joined by Royal Jewel. A good race ensued Royal Jewel, winning by a length and half a length separated second and third.

Time:—1 min. 25 2/3 secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 19; Places Rs. 44, 11 and 12.

THE BOBILI CUP.—Distance 1 1/5 miles.

Winner a Cup (value Rs. 500) and Rs. 2,000; second Rs. 700; third Rs. 300.

Mr C Newman Sender's WAY OF AN EAGLE, 8-13, P Brown 1
H H the Maharajah of Mysore's MAX, 8-1, Quinn 2
Mr Meenaransh's KAPRI, 8-12, White 3

Also ran:—St Twist 7-0.

Betting:—5 to 4 Way of an Eagle and Max, 6 to 1 Kapri, 8 to 1 St Twist.

The race:—From a good start, St Twist led and at the 7th furlong Kapri passed him. At the bend Way of an Eagle and Max forged ahead and Way of an Eagle won by a length and a half, two lengths separated second and third.

Time:—2 mins. 28½ secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs. 14; Places Rs. 12 and 12.

THE INDIAN MERCHANTS' PLATE.—Distance 1 mile.

Winner Rs. 1,200; second Rs. 500; third Rs. 200.

Mr S C Berredge's HELENCOURT, 8-12, P Brown 1
Mr J O Robinson's DUNLACE CASTLE, 8-9, White 2
Mr A R Rangaswamy's LADY DIANO, 7-7, S J Meekings 3

Also ran:—Sandra 9-0, Armistice 8-6, Octandria 8-5.

Betting:—2 to 1 Helencourt, 4 to 1 Armistice, 6 to 1 Sandra and Lady Diano, 7 to 1 Dunlace Castle, 10 to 1 Octandria.

Won easily by two lengths, seven lengths between second and third.

Time:—1 min 52 secs.
Tote paid:—Win Rs 17; Places Rs. 13 and 46.

MURRAY FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT.

(Associated Press.)

LUCKNOW, Jan. 14.

In the second round of the Murray Football Tournament at Lucknow yesterday, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, (Cup-holders), were defeated by the South Wales Borderers (Jhansi) after an exciting game by four goals to three. The match was a very close one, the Fusiliers towards the end gaining two penalties, from which however they failed to score.

THE DUKE WITNESSES POLO GAMES

(Associated Press.)

MADRAS, Jan. 14

His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, this evening attended the opening games of the Madras Polo Tournament, for the Raja Venugopal Challenge Cup, which were played at Guindy Park. The elite of Madras and numerous visitors from Bangalore, Bombay and other parts, who are in Madras in connection with the races, were present at the tournament. Lord and Lady Willingdon and several zemindars of southern India were among those who attended to witness the games.

The Raja of Venkatagiri was "At Home" to a large party.

At 4-10 p.m. His Royal Highness attended by Earl Cromer and Capt. North arrived at the Park, having motored the distance from Government House in Mount Road. The Duke was received by the Governor and Lady Willingdon and His Royal Highness remained till 6 p.m. when the games were concluded.

DUKE VISITS ST. THOMAS MOUNT.

(Associated Press.)

MADRAS, Jan. 14.

H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught visited to-day St. Thomas Mount, accompanied by Lieutenant-General Sir William Marshall. After visiting the barracks, His Royal Highness motored round the station and afterwards went up the Mount.

DUKE LUNCHES AT MADRAS CLUB.

(Associated Press.)

MADRAS, Jan. 14.

The Duke lunched at Madras Club to-day when 120 members were present. It was quite an informal affair, and the only toast was that of the King-Emperor. The Duke, on leaving, was loudly cheered.

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TUESDAY, January 18.

Performance at the Excelsior Theatre, in aid of the Ahmednagar Famine Relief Fund.

WEDNESDAY, January 19

Performance at the Excelsior Theatre, in aid of the Ahmednagar Famine Relief Fund.

TELEGRAPH NOTIFICATION.

Telegraph communication with Ceylon restored.

PUBLIC MEETING.

Under the auspicies of the "Young Nationalists League" a public meeting will be held to-day (Monday) at 6-30 p.m., at the premises of the "Sandesh Office" 10th Khetwadi Lane, when Mr. Yakub Hasan of Madras, Moulana Shoukat Ali and others will address the meeting on Non-Cooperation. Mr. A. B. Kolhatkar will preside. All are cordially invited to attend.

YOUNG NATIONALISTS LEAGUE.

Last night Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehtha delivered a public lecture at the premises of the Sandesh Office, under the Presidenship of the Presidentship of Mr. A. B. Kolhatker on the new Congress Creed and constitution. Pointing out the difference between the old and the new creed, he laid emphesis on the fact that the new creed and constitution left no room for party tyranny, preponderance of numbers or local tactics. The constitution, he said, was so framed as to create a national conscienceousness in every citizen. The President, while explaining the creed of the Congress, in a few fitting remarks, observed the necessity of Swaraj first and every thing else afterwards.

POSTAL NOTICES.

Mails for Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, China, and Japan per s.s. Kashgar will be closed at the General Post Office at 8 a.m. on Monday the 17th instant.

Mails for Seychelles, Lamu, Mombasa, Ibo, Chindi, Dar-es-Salaam, Zanzibar, Tanga, Quilimane, Mozambique, Beira and L. Marquis per s.s. Karajola will be closed at the General Post Office at 9 a.m. on Wednesday of the 19th instant.

Correspondence for Natal, Cape Colony and other places in South Africa will also be forwarded by this steamer.

ALL-INDIA SARASVAT SABHA.

The third annual general meeting of the All-India Saraswat Brahman Sabha will be held at Saraswat Co-operative Buildings, Bhandevi, Grant Road, on Sunday the 30th January, 1921, at 4 p.m. (S. T.). There will be a social gathering at the close of the business meeting.

The report on the working of the Sabha for the year ending 30th June 1920, shows that at the end of the year there were 17 life members and 487 ordinary members. The total collections during the report year amounted to Rs. 2,429-7-11 as against Rs. 259-2-0 in the preceding period and the total expenditure to Rs. 2,359-2-3 as against Rs. 353-11-0 in the previous period. The bulk of the expenditure is accounted for by two items viz. printing expenses chiefly in connection with the Sabha's journal and leaflets and gathering expenses. The net balance to the credit of the Sabha at the close of the year was Rs. 423-5-3, inclusive of Rs. 92 collected for the Sabha's Education Fund.

As the present income of the Sabha is almost wholly absorbed by its journal, the Council have decided to recommend to the forthcoming annual general meeting to raise the minimum subscription payable by local members to Rs. 6. Towards the close of the report year, a branch of the Sabha was founded at Poona. The Council hope that similar branches would spring up in the near future at all the chief centres of the country.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summry of observations recorded at 8 hours on Saturday, the 15th January 1921, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are clear at Delhi but moderately to heavily clouded elsewhere. Humidity is in excess at Delhi and in defect at Hissar. Day temperature is above the average at Ambala; night temperature is higher than usual except in the southwest of the division.

The United Provinces.—Skies are clear. Humidity is in excess in the West of the division. Temperature is higher than usual both by day and by night.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are lightly clouded in Sind but are clear in Rajputana. Humidity is in excess at Karachi and in defect at Jacobabad. Day temperature is slightly below the average at Jacobabad and Mount Abu; night temperature is above normal at Jodhpur.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are clear. Humidity is in excess at Bhuj and Dwarka, is nearly normal in north Gujarat and Central India West and is in defect elsewhere. Day temperature is nearly normal; night temperature is below the average at Bhuj and Rajkot.

The Central Provinces.—Skies are lightly clouded in the southwest of the division. The air is drier than usual at most stations. Temperature is higher than usual both by day and by night.

The Konkan.—Skies are clear at Bombay but are lightly to moderately clouded elsewhere. Humidity is in slight defect at Bombay and in slight excess at Mormugao. Day temperature is normal; night temperature is higher than usual except at Bombay.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Ahmednagar reports 0.12" of rain. Skies are lightly to moderately clouded. Humidity is in defect at Malegaon, Ahmednagar and Aurangabad and in excess at Poona, Hyderabad and in the South Bombay Deccan. Day temperature is either normal or slightly above the average; night temperature is considerably higher than usual over the division.

General Remarks.—Colombo reports 1.04" of rain. Rain has also fallen locally in southeast Madras and Malabar, while a few falls have occurred in the north Bombay Deccan and Baluchistan. Skies are in general lightly to moderately clouded over the Peninsula and over Sind and the Punjab. Night temperature is higher than usual over the reporting area excluding Gujarat, Kathiawar, Sind and Rajputana.

Forecast.—A few falls of rain are likely over the southern half of the Peninsula.

India Telegraphic Summary for the 14th January 1921.

The disturbance in the north has caused local snow or rain in the Punjab hills with local rain in the north Punjab and a few falls in Baluchistan and the Kumaon hills. No information has been received from Kashmir. Rainfall has again been widespread in south Madras and heavy in the plains.

Chief amounts not already shown in the Bombay Report are:—Muktesvar one inch; Sialkot, Chaman a quarter; Madura six; Kodaikanal seven and Cuddalore two.

BOMBAY MILLS.

WILL THERE BE A STRIKE?

For over a month the question has been asked to me from various quarters "Will there be a strike on the 16th of February?" I have questioned hundreds of jobbers and workmen and I have invariably received the answer "they say so, but in our mill there will be none unless we are locked out by the turbulence of others." Last time the strike came suddenly like a thief in the night. This time the coming strike has not only been anticipated but advertised in a manner Lipton or Pears would have envied. Who are these intelligent anticipators? My own investigation has not enabled me to come to any confident conclusion. My suspicions are directed towards the activities of Bulls and Bears; in their respective dens and the rumour of overstocking. I do not know whether there is really any overstocking. The Tejiwallas do not want a strike. The mundiwallas on the contrary want a strike. They say "every dog has his day" but we have not had a day for many many months. The Tejis like the rumour to be taken seriously with the view of forcing the prices down, and then after the day fixed for the strike to rise furiously. You must remember that the intelligent anticipation has gone so far as actually to fix the day for the coming strike. The fact that the Fazuls rose 100 points the moment it became known that there was going to be no strike after the majority of the mills paid the wages and bonus on 12th instant, clearly demonstrate the real subterranean forces at work. The little rift in the lute at the Kohinoor Mills has upset matters and Fazuls have gone down again. The situation is now completely changed by the conduct of the Police and the Agents of the Kohinoor Mills. Before I describe the present situation and the probable course of events, I should like to say that I have suggested to Government officials that the Share Bazaar should be called upon to declare that in case of a general strike the settlement figures will be governed by what the prices stood a week before the strike. This would eliminate the Bulls and Bears. Would do Heaven Government would also declare the Syndicate headed by Sir Sassoon David as an illegal association. It will bring many a blessing upon the citizens of Bombay and cutside Bombay. Among the Bulls and Bears the Kohinoor is usually regarded as the Index Barometer of prices.

KOHINOOR MELODRAMA.

The Kohinoor melodrama runs as follows:—On the 11th instant the men asked for "tickets of wages" at about 11 a.m. They down-tooled for a few minutes. The jobbers informed them that the tickets would come during the course of the day. It did not till 4 p.m. Then again they made *aria*. Again they resumed work on the assurance from the mukadams that they would get their wages the next day the 12th instant. It is customary to pay wages earlier than the usual date when a feast occurs. The Agents had fixed the 15th as the day for payment, but they declare that they would have paid on 12th if timely notice were given. They say they got no request for an earlier payment. The manager, however, admits he got intimation at 11 p.m. He has evidently converted 11 a.m. into 11 p.m. It is absurd to imagine he could have got notice so late at night; and if he did, he should have considered it serious enough to move Heaven and Earth to make preparations for payment as soon as possible. The next day i.e. 12th instant the men came to work, but declined to do any work unless the manager assured them that they would be paid in the course of the day. The anxiety of the men to be paid on the 12th arose from three causes:—(1) The festival of Sacrant. (2) The payment by others. (3) The fear of lock-out. They argued that if they were not paid till the 15th, it may happen that the other mills having been paid, may strike as it is rumoured with the result that they themselves would be locked out, as they have been on the past and then the Agents would make this an excuse for forfeiting the bonus. I myself feel that this was a very reasonable apprehension. But the manager not only paid no heed to the request for immediate payment, but actually told them that they would not be paid till the 24th instant. He apparently lost his temper in the meantime and told them to go away. Meanwhile he sent for a Police force. The gate was closed. Several policemen got into the Mill compound with Mr. Sullivan at the head and there was a force of constables outside the gate. About this time the wives of the men began to pour in bringing food for their husbands. These ladies were turned out by the manager and the headloads of meals knocked down. (It is admitted these women were turned. The reason assigned is that they did not want the men to live on the premises!!) But turning the women folk out excited some men who threw stones at the manager who was then going from the office to his bungalow accompanied by Mr. Sullivan. Thereupon Mr. Sullivan fired two shots in the air. The men were frightened and began running away. Most of them had to jump near the walls. The Police charged them. Several were injured. Some 30 men were arrested. Later on Mr. Athavle, the Fifth Presidency Magistrate, appeared on the scene. The men were seated quietly and he advised them to be good and went back to his Court. I am not quite sure whether in his presence or not, but certainly after his arrival several other men were arrested making a total of about 80. It was a *magnificent* (!) feat for 20 policemen to arrest 80 men evidently indicating that the men were not bent on mischief. This is the version given to me by a dozen representatives on the 12th noon. But this was confirmed by about 1,000 men yesterday who came to me. The points of difference between this version and others I have had from other sources relates only to the nature of the attack on the manager. The Police naturally imagine that he might have been murdered. I do not know the nature of the injury on the Police officials; but of course any assault upon them is naturally resented as a high crime and misdemeanour. The chief thing I regret is the readiness with which the Police charge with batons and arrest men. However having had this version I called on the Police Commissioner with the view of ascertaining what steps to take to extinguish the fire. I should not have done so had not the Police Commissioner previously insisted my Cooperation in averting the advertised strike. I suggested that the men should be released provided they gave an undertaking and were bound down not to break the peace. I placed the alternatives before him and asked him to choose the lesser evil, in accepting my advice and running the risk of a general mill strike. But there is so little statesmanship from the Governor downwards that the officials would rather have a strike than accept my advice. It is like soldiers loving a war to win the V. C. However, the Commissioner promised to consider my suggestion overnight and discuss the matters with H. E. the Governor. Nevertheless I laboured hard for peace and sober. When the men assembled at my place on the 13th I succeeded in persuading them to resume work unconditionally. I got them to promise (1) To form a Union. (2) To give up drink. (3) To work even better than before. (4) Never to strike without consulting me And (5). To behave peacefully. I promised them that I would do all I can for the men under arrest. Having succeeded so far I saw the Agents, but I was told that at the Millowners' Association meeting they had intimated that they would close the mills for a week and this was approved by the Association. I endeavoured to impress upon them the danger of keeping inflammable material out of control. The Agent promised to reconsider the matter with the manager. He also told me that the Police had resolved not to release the men. But as the men were going back to work, the danger of spreading was averted and I, therefore, did not care to see the Commissioner as my object was not the case of the prisoners, but the Peace of Bombay. I regret to say that the gates were closed against the men this morning. Heaven only knows what benefit they secure by a lock-out except perhaps what the Agent told me. If there is a strike, the mills will be closed till the strike is over, and the men will forfeit their bonus. You can imagine the exasperation of the men from being kept out for a week but the prospect of losing their wages for these days and the bonus at the end of a general strike. Personally I feel that any one wished to engineer a general strike he could not have done better than take the exact steps that have actually occurred in the Kohinoor Mills. If a strike does take place I trust Bombay will rise like a man and demand the punishment of every one responsible for the Peace of Bombay from the Governor downwards.

JOSEPH BAPTISTA.

CALCUTTA STRIKES.

PART OF N. C. O. MOVEMENT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 15.

Taxi drivers in Calcutta have not resumed work and the strike seems likely to continue. There is little reason to doubt that the strike of taxi-drivers and that of students are part of the Non-Cooperation movement and it is significant they have occurred just now in view of the fact that Mr. Gandhi is expected in Calcutta on Monday.

TAXI DRIVERS' STRIKE CONTINUES.

ROADS QUIET AND EMPTY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 14.

In connection with the taxi-drivers' strike, a meeting of the representatives of taxi-owning companies was held last evening in Calcutta at which, it is understood, proposals were formulated for measures to protect the interests of taxi owners. A further meeting will be held within the next few days, which definite steps will probably be decided upon. In the meantime the strike continues and the main thoroughfares are denuded of 1,500 taxis, which are licensed here, are noticeably quiet and empty. A new feature in the street traffic is the appearance of riskshaws in European residential quarters, and an unusual spectacle of lines of rickshaws may be seen outside the principal theatres at night.

WILL TRAM AND HACKNEY DRIVERS JOIN TAXI DRIVERS?

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 16.

The Taxi-drivers' strike continues. At a meeting of strikers, held last evening speeches were made, expressing the men's determination to continue the strike indefinitely until their grievances were removed. Endeavours are being made to get tramway drivers and conductors, as well as hackney carriage drivers to join in and get all their grievances put right. A joint meeting will be held to-day at the Town Hall.

MADRAS TRAMWAY STRIKERS.

THEIR REPLY TO MANAGERS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Jan. 15.

The tramway strikers held a meeting today to consider the notice issued by the joint managers of the Company. It was pointed out that the strike would have been avoided if the joint managers had told their deputation on the 10th instant that their grievances would be considered. The strikers wanted enquiry into a few cases of dismissals and appointment of enquiry officers. The reply to the above effect was sent to the joint managers.

A disastrous fire broke out on Saturday, at Chitpore Hydraulic Jute Press, Calcutta, with the result that a large number of jute bales were destroyed and the godown was practically gutted, the damage totalling over one lakh of rupees.

THE D. A. V. COLLEGE.

LALA LAJPAT RAI'S APPEAL TO EX-PRINCIPAL.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Jan. 15.

In course of an open letter to Lala Hans Raj, ex-Principal of the D. A. V. College, Lahore, Lala Lajpat Rai draws the attention of Lala Hansraj and the managing committee of the College to the present condition of the Arya Samaj and the D. A. V. College.

Lala Lajpat Rai says that the wishes of the founders of the college were to run it independent of Government and University control and make it the nucleus of the Dayanand University but since 1907 the policy of the College has been changed and it has sacrificed its principles in order to please the Government and the University.

Lala Lajpat Rai then refers to the new spirit in the country which he says was preached to Arya Samajists long ago by Swami Dayanand and asks Lala Hansraj either to declare openly that the D. A. V. College authorities have changed the policy of the founders or that they should free the college from the control of Government and University and nationalise it. Lala Lajpat Rai assures Lala Hansraj that he need not entertain any fear as regards financing the National University as he (Lajpat Rai) guarantees to pay Rs. 50,000 to make up the deficiency in income for two years within one week the college frees itself from the University control.

Lala Lajpat Rai further assures that if the amount falls short of the requirements of the college he will collect more money and pay to the college in the end. He requests Lala Hansraj to place his proposal before the managing committee of the college and inform him their decision within two weeks so that he may decide his future position in connection with the D. A. V. College.

STUDENT SITUATION.

SIR A. CHAUDHURI OUTWITTED.

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CALCUTTA, Jan. 16.

Sir Ashutosh Chaudhuri addressed the students at the University Institute on the "Student Situation." As Sir Ashutosh had already expressed his opinion against student strike, the audience thought that it was an anti-Non-Cooperation meeting and made much noise, making it impossible for the speaker to proceed. While this was going on, Mr. Bepin Chunder Pal with a large number of students came in and the meeting was converted into a Non-Cooperation meeting, speeches being made urging students to leave their colleges.

CALCUTTA COLLEGES.

MAJORITY AFFECTED BY N. C. O.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 15.

About 2,000 college students in Calcutta and the neighbouring places have come out of their colleges and a large portion of them are engaged in Non-Co-operation propagan da work. The Calcutta colleges affected are the City, Ripon, Bangabasi, Central, St. Xaviers, Scottish Churches Colleges, Science College, University Law College, South Suburban and the Post-Graduate Colleges the majority of the colleges are affected and the contagion is spreading in schools also. The principal of one of these colleges is contemplating the conversion of the college into a national institution. Meetings are being held in the principal squares in Calcutta and suburbs attended by a large number of students, where speeches and delivered urging students to boycott educational institutions.

BURMESE ASSOCIATION.

FORMATION OF NATIONAL EDUCATION SYNDICATE.

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RANGOON, Jan. 15.

The general Council of the Burmese Association in a letter to the National Education Committee suggest the formation of a national education syndicate of fifteen members, seven to be nominated by the Council, also suggesting a joint finance committee similarly constituted.

RANGOON UNIVERSITY BOYCOTTERS

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RANGOON, Jan. 15.

The statement issued by the University boycotters denounces the Vice-Chancellor's letter as not an earnest attempt to meet the demands half way. Demands have been outrageously flouted and authorities still stand on prestige. The boycotters have declared that the policy is unconditional boycott of colleges. It is the cry of a heart laden with tears, grief and a sense of unredressed wrong.

N. C. O. IN PRACTICE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 15.

In pursuance of Non-Co-operation resolution adopted by the Congress Dr. Pratula Chandra Ghose, Deputy Assay Master, Calcutta Mint, has tendered his resignation from Government service. In his letter of resignation to the Controller of Currency Dr. Ghose says:—I have the honour to state that as the call of my country demands that I should no longer continue in this service I beg to tender my resignation. I hope my resignation will be accepted at a very early date

The Burma Deputation is due to arrive from England on the 8th of February.

ALIGARH UNIVERSITIES.

THEIR PROGRESS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALIGARH, Jan. 15.

Admission of students in the Aligarh Muslim University is continuing and the number has now reached about 550. Dr. Tritton has joined the staff as professor of Arabic.

Major Dann who is a specialist in geography and is a distinguished graduate of Oxford has joined the staff as the head master of the University school.

Mr. Lee, a graduate of the Jesus College, Cambridge and Chancellor's medalist has joined as a professor of English 188 students have been sent up for the intermediate examination of the Allahabad University and 40 for M. A. examination. The syndicate of the Allahabad University has not yet decided whether intermediate and matriculation students can appear in the Allahabad University examinations.

Dr. Zia Uddin Ahmad and Mr. Rahman are now engaged in drawing the ordinances of the Muslim University which are likely to be laid before the meeting of the court about the end of February or beginning of March.

Mian Mohammad Sharif is now acting as the principal of the University. It is understood that Dr. Zia Uddin Ahmad is proceeding to England on long leave after framing the ordinances.

Moulana Mohamed Ali has now returned from Nagpur.

Two Madrassi gentlemen, including Mr. Kirpanide have been induced to join the National University. Dr. Mahmud Alam is teaching philosophy and Moulvi Moham mad Surthi is also visiting the National University.

The students of the National University come to Friday prayers as usual. Moulana Mohamed Ali visited various hostels in the afternoon as a trustee of the institution.

The promoters of the National University are contemplating to capture all the property of the Aligarh Muslim University and use it for their own purpose.

"FACT AND FICTION"

"New India" writes:—

The "Bombay Chronicle," in an editorial note thus headed, complains that Mrs. Besant said that the Congress had lost its National character by narrowing the basis of its constitution, and says that this is not the fact. The Congress used to affiliate a number of public bodies of not less than two years' standing, who had the right of electing delegates to the Congress (Rules Article 20). These bodies represented persons of many shades of political thought, ranging from Moderate to Extremist, using the words in the old sense, and delegates might also be elected by public meetings called by such bodies. Hence there was a wide basis of representation, as a public meeting might consist of persons ont belonging to any Congress or affiliated institution. Mr. Tilak pressed strongly this right of a public meeting to elect. If the newspapers reports are true, voting for delegates is now restricted to Congress organisations (Article 3); the "variety of political opinion" is in their hands. The "Bombay Chronicle" may regard narrowing as enlargement, but Mrs. Besant used the word in the ordinary sense.

"NO FIERY SPEECHES"

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—My attention has been drawn to the publication in your paper of the 10th December of a telegram headed "Kenya—An Indian Colony." It is reported that "the Indian leaders in the course of fiery speeches" etc. Now I was present all through out the sittings of the Congress and I am able to say that there were no "fiery speeches" made. They were all dignified in tone and restrained in language. There were no threats held out either of Non-Cooperation or of refusal to pay taxes.

The only resolution that was passed on the subject is the one that I had the honour to send you on the 11th of last month.

The Mombasa Indians did resign from Government bodies, but that was before the Congress, and it was as a protest against the enforcement by the Government of racial segregation on Mombasa Island so as to include private freehold land belonging to Asiatics.

May I request you to publish this letter.—Yours, etc.,

C. M. DALAL,
Honorary General Secretary.
E. Africa Indian National Congress
January 4.
Mombasa.

WEATHER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Jan. 16.

The weather disturbance is passing eastwards, after giving local snow or rain in northeast Baluchistan and Northwest Frontier Province, with a few falls in Kashmir and North Punjab hills. The chief amounts are:—Murree two inches, Srinagar and Peshawar a quarter.

Temperature continues high in the central parts of the country.

Forecast:— Crease in Baluchistan and Northwest Frontier Province and extension in Assam.

Official & Personal.

We understand Dr. N. H. E. Sukhia and Mr. J. B. Petit are candidates for next year's Presidentship of the local Municipal Corporation. According to the custom, it is a European's turn, but as yet nobody from the community it seems, has stood for the office.

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HIGH COURT.

APPELLATE SIDE.

"INHUMAN MASSACRE OF HIS OWN CHILDREN."

HORRIBLE HOMICIDAL PROPENSITIES

DEATH SENTENCE CONFIRMED.

Samno Rayajyo Bhil
vs.
The King-Emperor.

(Before the Chief Justice Sir Norman Macleod and Sir Lallubhai Shah.)

This was an appeal against the decision of Mr. H. B. Deshmukh, Additional Sessions Judge of Khandesh. He found the accused guilty of murder and sentenced him to death.

The facts are briefly these:—

The accused Samno and his wife Samsi lived together in perfect harmony for over 15 or 16 years since their marriage in their house at Bhuigaon. Their marriage brought them five children, four sons and one daughter, Zingi. Of these four sons, the eldest Singa had gone to Viri where his mother's parents lived. Accused's wife, Samsi, left for Viri on the 10th July with the accused's permission. She went to Viri in order to see her brother's daughter, who was reported to be seriously ill. The accused not only permitted his wife to go, but told her that he himself would follow her and asked her to return soon. His wife went to Viri, leaving behind three children. The accused himself went to Viri in the afternoon and asked his wife to go back with him, saying that children were crying very much. Upon this, his wife replied that the sun was now about to set and it was about to get dark, and as her brother's daughter was rather serious, she would return next day in the morning. The accused again asked her to go back with him, but his wife gave him the same reply. Thereupon the accused got somewhat in an angry mood. The accused then went home, but he did not get sleep. A thought arose in his mind and began to trouble him that, though he had been doing so much for his wife, yet his wife had the audacity to disobey his word and refused to return home with him in spite of his having told her that the child, Nurya, was crying very much for her. While he was thinking in this strain, he was suddenly seized with a fit of rage and he took up his axe and went to Viri. He found his wife sleeping on the mala (loft). The accused then ascended a ladder and went up to the mala. It was all dark there. He began to feel for his wife, but owing to darkness he mistook one Bokha, who was sleeping on the mala with the accused's eldest son, Singa, for his wife and struck him with his axe. Bokha then cried out and fell down from the loft. The accused again committed the same blunder, and mistaking his own son, Singa, for his wife, gave him several blows with his own axe. While the accused was striking Singa, his wife, Samsi, who was sleeping at a little distance from him on the same mala, shouted out for help, saying that Singa's father was beating him. The accused then left striking Singa and began to strike his wife, Samsi, to whom he gave a number of blows. Samsi tried to struggle and succeeded in wrenching the axe from the accused's hands and called out to her father for help. The accused then managed to jump down from the mala and bolted away. The accused then went back to his house at Bhujgaon and took up another axe of his, and hacked with it all his three sons to death; each victim of his uncontrollable wrath receiving as many as 10 to 12 blows; their heads were battered and the vaults of their skulls in the case of Kulya and Nurya were fractured and the neck of Tulya was cut deep and death was instantaneous in each case. The police were informed and the accused was arrested. A panchnama was drawn up about the injuries on these dead bodies and they were sent to the dispensary at Taloda for post-mortem examination.

The accused pleaded guilty to the charge. He said that he was angry with his wife as she frequently went out, leaving behind the children at home, and he thought she must have turned unchaste.

In the Sessions Court some suspicions were aroused as to the insanity of the accused. He was sent for medical inspection and it was finally decided that the accused was not insane.

THE JUDGMENT.

The Sessions Judge observed:—"All the facts are admitted by the accused and are conclusively established by the evidence of the prosecution. As regards the question of sentence, the brutal and beastly inhumanity of the accused's own homicidal acts baffles all human description; he butchered his own sons in cold blood in a very cruel and inhuman manner, while two of them were fast asleep in their beds, which the accused himself had made for them, and the third was a baby of 2½ years old. The only motive for the crime, which the accused ascribes in his own words, is his having got angry with his wife for her refusal to return home with him, in spite of his repeated and insistent biddings. There was no conceivable justification for the accused's wanton and inhuman massacre of his own innocent children, who had done him no harm whatsoever and were incapable of doing him any harm whatever. I have spent my most anxious thought on the consideration of the peculiar and startling features of this case and I must say that it has been a puzzle to me that a man like the accused, with such a quiet exterior and all along given to leading a normal quiet and inoffensive life, should have all of a sudden developed such horrible homicidal propensities and should have so suddenly transformed his own humble and happy home into a regular slaughter-house on such an extremely slight pretext and such a trifling excuse.

HEARTLESS MONSTER.

"In fact, the case in my mind, can admit of only two possibilities and no other, either the accused must be taken to be insane or he must be a heartless monster in human shape. As regards insanity I have not been able to discover the slightest indication. The case in question is a very typical illustration of the truth of the remarks made by Mr. Lyons in his 'Medical Jurisprudence for India':—'In cases of homicide by sane persons, especially in India, the motive leading to the crime is sometimes a very trivial one.'"

Their Lordships after hearing the arguments confirmed the conviction and sentence, and dismissed the appeal.

Mr. S. M. Varde appeared for the accused. The Government Pleader represented the Crown.

MAHABHARAT EDITION.

DR. THOMAS CONSULTED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

POONA, Jan. 15.

Dr. Thomas, Librarian, India Office, paid a visit to Aundh on an invitation from the Chief of Aundh, Chairman of the Mahabharat Editorial Committee of the Bhandarkar Research Institute. Dr. Gune, Prof. Karmarkar and Mr. Utgikar had also been invited there to meet Dr. Thomas and to discuss the possibilities of cooperation between European and Indian scholars in the great task of the critically editing the Mahabharat. Dr. Thomas promised to do his best in the matter. He also visited the several institutions in Aundh, inspected the interesting collection of art in the private library of the Chief and delivered a lecture on his impressions of Southern India where he had been touring. Dr. Thomas expressed himself very favourably impressed with what he saw at Aundh.

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.
Monday, January 17, 1921.

RESPECT FOR ROYALTY.

Some people seem to regard the attitude assumed by the bulk of the Indian nation towards the visit of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught as signifying disrespect for the Royal Family. We believe that this idea is altogether false, and that the decision to abstain from any sign of welcome and rejoicing in connection with the Royal visit on this occasion is evidence—nay, proof—of a respect for Royalty much greater and more delicate than is displayed by the political rulers of the Empire, who do not hesitate to put Royalty in an altogether false position whenever they imagine that to do so will advance their policy. Those rulers made the unjust Turkish treaty; they are responsible for the perpetration and the condonation of the Punjab horrors, events which are an outrage to the soul of India; they are responsible for the unjust treatment which is being meted out to Indians in the British Dominions and Dependencies; the Crown has neither part nor lot in these inquities; yet, when India is justly indignant and demands redress—a member of the Royal Family, entirely innocent and, as Indians believe, probably uninformed of the condition of affairs, is paraded with a cry of "Hush!"—much, as in Russia when the moujiks' grievances became acute and threatened outbreak, some icon or regarded relic was displayed to reassure them.

Just as men cannot be said to show respect for their religion who use it solely to subserve their selfish ends, so men cannot be said to show respect for royalty who seek to make use of its prestige merely in order to divert attention from the harm that they themselves have done. India has been made to understand quite brutally and clearly that she is allowed no voice in the foreign or internal policy of the Empire of which she forms a part. She believes that the King would do her justice if he knew the truth regarding her condition, but that the truth is being kept from him by his advisers. The injustice of which she complains is a blot on England's honour, and the emblem of England's honour is the Crown of England. The King-Emperor has thus a share in India's griefs and wrongs; and Indians feel indignant, upon his account, that a member of the Royal Family should be brought to India at this juncture, as if all were well, simply to serve the purposes of the bureaucracy. They feel that everything will be arranged and staged in such a manner as to give the Royal visitor a false impression of the state of Indian feeling; and it is as a protest against such delusion of a loved and venerated guest that a boycott of the visit has been ordered; in the hope that it may call the Duke's attention to the fact that all is not as it should be in this the most important portion of the Empire.

There is a role which Royalty has never played but which constitutional royalty might well play in the future—a role perfectly constistent with the progress of democracy, and likely to preserve historical tradition, by popularising it, in the new era which is surely dawning for the world. It is the role of Tribune of the People. The subject peoples of the Empire now possess no tribune, no protector in the British Realm. If, instead of being brought in as a mere confirmer of the work of the bureaucracy, the Duke of Connaught had come out to India, as the representative of the King-Emperor, to hear and to investigate the grievances of the Indian people on His Majesty's behalf, he would have had the greatest welcome in all history.

Notes of the Day.

A Defender of the East.

Speaking recently in London to a distinguished audience, Sir Ronald Storrs, the Military Governor of Jerusalem, described his work in the Holy City. Among other things, he has forbidden the establishment of drink shops and certain places of amusement, thus following the sound tradition of old days of Turkish rule, when the town was under the jurisdiction of the Ulema as regarded all such matters, and its sanctity was carefully preserved. He has prevented the demolition of old buildings; and as for so-called improvements of an ugly kind, he has declared that the first tramcar in Jerusalem would be run over the body of the Military Governor! He has also forbidden the use of corrugated iron roofing, dear to the immigrant Jews who run up hideous little shacks on every dustheap, and even against the beautiful Saracenic walls of the old city. Sir Ronald must have been a thorn in the side of the Jews who long for all the innovations he has so honourably opposed, and who, if they had their way, would long ago have turned a glorious old Eastern city into a good imitation of an Eastern European slum. Most of them have no care whatever for the beauty or the sanctity of Zion; and it is good to know that there is one high British official in Palestine who does care for such things. Sir Ronald Storrs had a distinguished career in Egypt, and is a good Arabic scholar, as well as a sympathetic student of Islamic history. If the feelings of the Muslims in Jerusalem have been respected it is largely due to him. We wonder how long his own feelings will allow him to continue in his present position, in view of the Jewish immigration, which possesses untold horror for every lover of the stately, self-respecting Muslim East.

Persia.

While on the one hand Reuters assure us, on the strength of obviously official information, that there is no immediate danger facing Persia, they are trying to frighten us with a report that the Bolsheviks have concentrated a large force at Baku and that they intend to invade Persia in the spring with 30,000 men. It is rather difficult to swallow the latter item of news, because simultaneously we are told by the same agency that an extraordinary council of aristocrats and ministers have signed a pact with the Bolshevik Government. In this whirlpool of uncertainties, the only reliable facts that can be discerned are that British women and children are being evacuated from Persia, as a preparatory step, no doubt, to the witdrawal of British troops from North-West Persia. It has been definitely arranged to carry out the latter step by Spring, unless the Anglo-Persian Agreement is ratified by the Meijliss, by that time. The indications are as will be seen, that there is very little hope of that consummation being achieved, for the anti-British feeling in Teheran and North Persia is evidently too strong just now to enable the loyalist elements to effect anything like a coup in favour of this Agreement. In view of these circumstances, it will be extremely foolhardy to indulge in the hope of righting the situation by any heroic means, such as sending more British troops to occupy the country and to fight the Bolsheviks if they invade the same.

Beat off the Wolves!

Now that the Indian Viceroyalty has gone to a Jew, the campaign against Mr. Montagu is being revived with greater zeal than ever before. Conservative circles, which have never been friendly to Indian aspirations are joining hands with the anti-Jew element to demand the ejection of Mr. Montagu from the India office. We are told that the Prime Minister, having got his way over Lord Reading's appointment, will have to surrender the India Office to the Unionists and "the argument that will be used is that Mahomedan opinion must be satisfied." Which Mahomedan opinion? Not certainly Indian Mahomedan opinion, which has no particular dislike for Mr. Montagu because of his religion, and which even as regards the Khilafat question knows that Mr. Montagu has laboured more than any other member of the Cabinet, including the Prime Minister, to secure justice for Moslems. The unscrupulousness of the attempt to make out that Moslem opinion would be conciliated by the removal of Mr. Montagu from the India Office is too patent not to be seen through. If the Prime Minister sacrifices Mr. Montagu to the anti-Jew wolves, in order to placate his Unionist colleagues, it will be a political blunder which will effectually undo whatever good might have been achieved by the appointment of Lord Reading as Viceroy. India will certainly look upon such a surrender to her enemies as an insult and humiliation offered to herself.

Mr. Paranjpye Unrivalled.

With reference to a note which appeared in these columns a few days ago objecting to a statement by "The Servant of India" that "Mr. Paranjpye's selection for the portfolio of education is an indication of Sir George Lloyd's solicitude for the educational progress of the province," on the ground that Mr. Paranjpye's appointment was only a second thought, after other personalities had been approached in vain; we are able now to state, on good authority, that there was never question of anyone but Mr. Paranjpye for the post in question. We confess that it seemed to us at the time incredible that there should have been any question of other persons, considering Mr. Paranjpye's qualifications, and in view of the evident anxiety in high Government quarters to make the new council a success; but the fact to the contrary was so confidently asserted in a quarter we had reason to consider well-informed that we were driven to believe it true. In future, we intend to make it a rule never to publish hearsay reports of this description.

The School of Art.

We publish elsewhere a letter from a correspondent who takes exception to our criticism of the work of the Pottery Department of the School of Art. The view of the Principal shows that the manufacture of pottery at the school is based on its conception as an industry not as *art*. Its "artistic side" remains to be developed. Besides a department that busies itself about drainage pipes is, surely, out of place in a School of Art. Further, the interests of the other departments of the School are sacrificed for its maintenance. The huge outlay on the Department prevents, for instance, the improvement of the miserably equipped "life-class." The fact that during the course of ten years three of the students went to England and that the rest are earning their livelihood does not alter our opinion about the success of the institution. Our correspondent has, probably, never heard of Mr. Terry of the Bombay School of Art. More than forty years ago he, without the present elaborate equipment and staff and without any help from Government, is said to have brought his pottery "process to perfection" His notion about "sufficient funds" and "enough staff" were evidently different from those of our correspondent. If the latter had any idea at all of what has already been done at the school in the past he would not have been so confident of "the original work" done by the Department.

The Koh-i-Noor Lock-Out.

If the reports which reach us are correct, the lock-out at the Koh-i-Noor Mills would seem to be an extraordinarily uncalled for and at the same time informal affair. The men, it seems, did not receive the bonus usual at a certain season, though it was paid by all the other mill-owners, and when they asked for it to be paid on a certain day, were told various things by various people but nothing by the only individual in whose word they were inclined to put the slightest trust. We cannot help thinking that a little tact and consideration shown to the men in the first place would have smoothed everything. As it is we hear of over seventy poor men in prison waiting trial and over forty more in hospital; of an appeal which will shortly to be brought upon the subject of the refusal of bail to the accused, not to speak of other complications likely to prolong the trouble. As for the informality which, as we remarked at first, is the most striking part of this occurrence, we are assured that the notice posted on the mill-gates announcing the lock out is without a signature. We intend to keep close watch on the proceedings and developments in this extraordinary case.

Mr. Roy's Appeal

The necessity for locating the highest Court of Appeal in this country itself instead of in distant England is nowhere better illustrated than in connection with the appeal filed by Mr. Kali Nath Roy, Editor of "The Tribune," before the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. The appeal was based on two grounds first, that Mr. Roy's trial by the summary procedure of martial law was bad in law and wholly unconstitutional; and secondly, that on a reliable construction of the articles complained of the appellant was not guilty of the offence of sedition as defined by Section 124A of the Indian Penal Code. As regards the first ground, their lordships have held that the offence with which Mr. Roy was charged was connected with the disturbances and that the case is not distinguishable from other cases tried by courts-martial in Lahore. Mr. Roy's offence lay in characterising in his paper the persons killed in the Delhi disturbances earlier in the week as "martyrs" and in "charging the Government (presumably, the Delhi Government) with grave misconduct in connection with the disturbances." It was stated in the "Tribune" of April 10, 1919, that "the atmosphere was highly surcharged" and the "public mind in a state of unusual excitement." These statements, and allegations were construed by the O'Dwyerian Government as rank sedition and though the civil courts were still open for the trial of offences under the Penal Code, the prisoner was handed over to the Martial Law authorities. The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council obsessed as it is with the gravity of the prevailing circumstances in Lahore in April last, has expressed the opinion that the offence was connected with the disturbances in that city and that the ground of want of jurisdiction, therefore, fails.

Wanted a Final Court of Appeal in India.

That the Committee has grievously failed to grasp the true nature of the circumstances in connection with the disturbances in the Punjab, will be further obvious from the Committee's reluctance to answer the question whether the principles of the law of sedition were properly applied in the present case by the Martiad Law tribunal. Their lordships observe:—

> The judgment was a very careful one and their lordship do not find that the section was in any way misconstrued or misunderstood. This being so, there remains only the question whether the principles of the law were properly applied in detail to the language of the various articles; and this question as was pointed out in "Besant v. The Advocate-General of Madras (L. R. 46, I.A. 176 at p. 186), is one which partakes so much of the nature of a question of fact that it would be difficult for the Board to interfere on this ground with the conclusions arrived at by a Court in India. The decision of such a Court must necessarily depend not only on the construction of the written matter complained of, but also on the local conditions obtaining at the time of publication and a just appreciation of the effect which the publication under those conditions of the articles in question would be calcellated to produce; and the Board would not revise the conclusions of the local tribunal on facts of this nature without putting themselves into a position which they have repeatedly declined to assume namely, that of a Court of Appeal in criminal proceedings. In these circumstances, their lordships do not find that the section was sary to express any opinion of their own as to intention of the articles in question. are not prepared to advice His Majesty to interfere with the conclusion arrived at by the Commission.

The principle their lordships have laid down above is a dangerous one, which, if it is followed uniformly, will effectually nullify the utility of a supreme Court of appeal like the Privy Council. But all this readiness to accept the findings of Indian Courts, especially in political cases, comes from the fact that the Privy Council, being situated far away from the scene, completely out of touch with the facts of the situation, is therefore unable to appreciate the defence point of view as much as a court sitting in this country itself would be able to do. Since the Committee repeatedly tells us that it declines to assume the position of a Court of Appeal in criminal proceedings and since in cases like those of Messrs. Roy and Bugga and Ratanchand, there is every necessity of such a Court, which will review teh judgments of our High Courts and Courts-Martial, it is time that a movement is set on foot to secure the establishment of the final Court of appeal in this country itself.

The Amritsar Indemnity.

The Punjab Government have shown a welcome change of front in leaving it to the new Legislative Council to decide whether the Amritsar Municipality should be partly or wholly excused from the payment of the indemnity demanded from it in connection with the disturbances of April 1919. "It will be for you to decide," said Sir E. Maclagan, when opening the Council last week, "whether Provincial finance can and should bear the whole or part of this burden, and I trust that your decision, whatever it may be, will definitely dispose of this which is one of those few current questions which serve to remind us of the deplorable disturbances of April 1919." It is unfortunate that Sir Edward should have taken so long a time to suggest a reasonable solution of this vexed question. If he is really anxious to erase the memory of the deplorable events from the minds of the public of his province, he should, also lose no time in setting free the victims of the Martial Law regime and ridding the public services of officers who disgraced themselves and the administration by their brutalities in 1919.

"UNWORKABLE!"

THE TREATY OF SEVRES.

"MORNING POST" ON NEED OF REVISION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Jan. 12.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 15.

In the course of a leading article the "Morning Post" urges that in view of the recent events in Greece, the Treaty of Severes is unworkable, and ought to be revised on the lines of the restoration of the only Turkish outlet in Asia Minor, autonomy of Thrace, and modification's of the financial clauses of the Treaty and conditions, determining the guarding of the Straits. The paper sugests that the Allies should see whetner a workable arrangements cannot be made with Kemal saying it seems fairly clear that Greek occupation of Smyrna has brought Kemals force into being and that Greek's relinquishment of Smyrna would similarly lead to its disappearance.

The "Gazette" says that the King has authorised H. E. the Viceroy to confer knighthood on Mr. W. M. Acworth.

SITUATION IN SMYRNA.

GREEK FORCES' VIGOROUS ADVANCE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m. Jan. 16.

Reuter learns from the Greek Legation that the Greek Government has received a wireless message from Smyrna to the effect that Greek forces are vigorously advancing. They have hitherto dispersed three enemy divisions and taken one Nationalist General prisoner.

IMAM YEHIA'S ACTIVITIES.

HODEIDA THREATENED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m. Jan. 16.

A telegram to "The Times." from Cairo, says Hodeida, which is garrisoned by the British and Indian troops, is threatened in consequence of warlike activities of Imam Yehia of Sanaa, who has captured Hajjila, and is advancing towards the coast. His forces are commanded by Mahmud Nedim Bey, whose nephew has already been appointed prospective Governor of Hodeiad.

SITUATION IN PERSIA.

"EXTREMELY GRAVE BUT NOT HOPELESS."

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m., Jan. 16.

A telegram to "The Times" from Teheran says the situation is extremely gloomy but is not hopeless. If a strong representative cabinet summoned the Mejliss immediately, and adopted, definitely, the policy of recognising British and Persian interests, as mutual, before the withdrawal of British troops, it might be possible to save the situation, otherwise the Anglo-Persian Agreement is dead.

A SEDUCTIVE AGREEMENT.

SOVIET AND PERSIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 10 p.m., Jan. 16.

The "Evening News" learns from Teheran that the Persian representative at Moscow has been instructed to sign a sedutive agreement with Russia, in which the Soviet concedes everything and appears to demand nothing.

BLACK SEA ENGAGEMENT

FRENCH TORPEDO-BOAT FIRED ON BY BOLSHEVIST VESSEL

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 10-30 a.m., Jan. 15.

The facts of the Black Sea engagement are given in a Constantinople message which states that a French torpedo-boat was patrolling the Black Sea to prevent the smuggling of arms when she was fired on, near Novorossisk, by a Bolshevist vessel which grounded.

S. S. TIRPITZ.

LARGEST GERMAN STEAMER COMPLETED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 15.

"The Times" learns from Berlin that the German steamer "Tirpitz", one of the masterpieces of German ship-building, and at present the largest steamer afloat, has now been completed, and will shortly be handed over to the Allies. It was originally intended for the Panama Canal route. It is constructed to carry two-thousand passengers, in Hamburg-Amerika service to China. It is fitted out most elaborately, including a marble swimming-bath said to be the largest afloat.

SERIOUS SITUATION ... RLYS.

COMPANIES' SHORT TIME PROPOSAL

'VIOLATION OF AGREEMENTS.'

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 10 p.m., Jan. 16.

The Executive of the National Union of Railwaymen has issued a manifesto, saying that serious situation has arisen on the railways in consequence of a number of companies proposing to place men on short-time with the alternative of dismissal. The Midland Company is offering to retain youths reaching eighteen years of age on junior service conditions, as adult work is unavailable. The Union contends that the foregoing is a violation of the agreements regarding guaranteed week, etc., and is actively taking the matter up.

GOVT. SHORT-TIME PROPOSALS.

REJECTED BY RAILWAYMEN'S UNION

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 6 p.m., Jan. 15.

The executive of the National Union of Railwaymen has rejected Government's short time proposals.

MYSTERIOU'S AFFAIR IN DUBLIN.

KING'S COUNSEL MORTALLY WOUNDED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 10 p.m., Jan. 16.

There were several minor incidents in Ireland yesterday in which police and civilians suffered a few casualties. There was a mysterious affair in Dublin, the King's Counsel, Mr. William McGrath, being mortally wounded by armed men, who broke into his house. Motive is unknown as Mr. McGrath did not participate in politics.

DEPORTATION OF O'CALLAGHAN.

QUESTION REFERRED TO PRESIDENT WILSON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 10-30 a.m., Jan. 15.

A Washington message states that the question of the deportation of O'Callaghan has been referred to President Wilson.

O'CALLAGHAN DEPOSES BEFORE IRISH COMMITTEE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m. Jan. 16.

A telegram from Washington says O'Callaghan has given evidence before the Irish Committee.

IMPERIAL PENNY POSTAGE

RESOLVE IN FAVOUR OF REVERSION

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 4 p.m. Jan. 16.

The Association of the British Chambers of Commerce has passed a resolution in favour of the reversion to imperial penny postage as conducive to social, economic and financial welfare of the Empire. The mover of the resolution expressed an opinion if there reversion was economically possible if there were less bureaucratic post-office control.

SITUATION IN AUSTRIA.

SERIOUS OUTBREAKS AND STRIKE

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m. Jan. 16.

The situation in Austria is very anxious and communist demonstrations are taking place in Vienna, in consequence of the high cost of living and increased taxation. The storming of hotels and restaurants is threatened, and serious outbreaks are anticipated. Postal workers have struck for higher wages.

HELP THE UNEMPLOYED.

LONDON MAYORS' COLLECTIVE APPEAL.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m. Jan. 16.

A Conference of twenty-eight London mayors has issued a collective appeal to send them help for the unemployed. They dwell on the urgent necessity for eliminating street processions and promiscuous charitable collections. The quantity of bread, meat and margarine has already been received.

INDIANS' CHANCE TO PROVE THEIR WORTH

"DAILY CHRONICLE" TO DUKE'S RESCUE.

REPROVES MR. GANDHI'S "MISCHIEVOUS" POLICY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. p.m., Jan. 16.

The "Daily Chronicle," in a leader, H. E. on the Duke of Connaught's speech in Madras, emphasises that British administrators are now all resolved to give the scheme of Self-Government in India as fair as possible a trial. The paper admits difficulties, especially those created by Mr. Gandhi, whose political uses of his power have hitherto been uniformly short-sighted and mischievous but the logic of Indian developments is against him.

H. E. the Duke of Connaught truly said that the success of the new era would depend on Indian enterprise, brains, self-help and patriotism and they are the steadily growing factors. Indian statesmen have such a chance to prove their worth as never before. Future is theirs, if they will but grasp it as practical men.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES FOR THE BAR.

MISS HELENA NORMANTON ACHIEVES DISTINCTION.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 1 p.m., Jan. 16.

Successful candidates for the Bar include Miss Helena Normanton who has achieved distinction of simultaneously passing in Criminal, Roman and Constitutional Law, in which she is the only woman to obtain first class. She was at one time Editor of the journal, 'India'. She says that she intends also to take Hindu and Mahommedan law. In a statement to the "Daily Chronicle" she said she thought it important for women to realise the legal conditions under which Asiatic women lived, European women might be pressing for a kind of world beautiful to them, but which would not suit the Eastern women at all.

CABLE ITEMS.

The Prince of Wales has issued an appeal for £200,000 sterling in aid of funds of Boy Scouts Association.

A message from Boston says that the famous English tenor, Gervase Elwes, who was arriving from New York was struck by a train and killed on the spot.

The Lord Mayor has refused the application for the reduction of bail, in the case of Mr. Hart of the Farrows' Bank. who is remanded for a week.

H. H. the Jamsahib of Nawanagar has left for Marseilles where he will embark for India on January 15th.

The Alliance Bank of India is opening a London branch.

Death is announced of Mr. George Francis Adams, Chief Inspector of Mines in India.

Reels of cotton have been reduced by two-pence, and are now eightpence for 400 yards

There was panic in Bachelors' Walk, Dublin, on Thursday night, following upon rifle-shots, and bombs being fired at a lorry containing the auxiliaries who returned fire. One of the assailants was seen to be hit and was carried off. One cadet was wounded by a bomb-splinter.

El Paso.—Forces of General Francisco Marguia, excommander of Northern zone under General Carranza, recently attacked feddral troops in the state of San Luis Potosi, but were repulsed.

According to the Ministry of Health, sleeping sickness is not epidemic. There was only one case per million during the last week in December, and this was abnormal for the time of year.

Short-time notices at Woolwich have been suspended till January 24th pending investigations by representatives of the employees.

A telegram from Chicago says Miss Mary Garden has been appointed General Director of the Chicago Opera Association.

Mr. Dhunjibhoy Bomanji has donated £5,000 to Edward the Seventh Hospital at Windsor. A vote of thanks proposed by the Mayor of Windsor on behalf of the borough and hospital authorities, was passed at a meeting of the Hospital Board.

A Paris message states that a Hindu Association is being formed with the object of protecting and assisting Indians and diffusion of Indian culture and ideals. The association gave its first matinee at the headquarters of "Friends of the East."

A Washington message states that Sir Auckland Geddes is shortly going to London, in response to a summons to confer with the Premier and Lord Curzon.

At the inquest on the Portuguese Countess, who was found dead in Westminster Cathedral, a verdict of suicide while temporarily insane was returned.

A Boston message states that the General Elwes was killed through an act of courtesy. He had alighted from a New York train with his wife and was stooping to pick up and return to the conductor an overcoat, when he was struck by a moving train.

Mr. C. Ernshton is appointed the Chief Engineer and joint Secretary W. D. Mr. Samuelson proceeding on leave, Conway. Officiating Finance Commissioner and Mr. Higinbotham Officiating Government Advocate are appointed members the Legislative Council.

BRITAIN AND SELF-GOVERNING DOMINIONS.

HOW TO PROMOTE MUTUAL GOOD RELATIONS.

LORD MILNER'S SUGGESTIONS

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 6-15 p.m., Jan. 15.

Presiding at a farewell lunch to Earl Stradbroke, Governor-Designate of Victoria in London Lord Milner spoke in valedictory strain. He expressed the opinion that the position of a Dominions Governor was not a whit less important and influential than under the Crown administration. A Governor, like the King reigned but did not govern. He declared that communities delighted to uphold the position where the Governor possessed personality and character.

Pursuing his contention, Lord Milner pointed to the fact that the influence and importance of the Crown were increasing in Britain under democratic Government. He described the supposition that Governors had an idle position as a great error. He emphasised that nobody would force State Governors upon Australia from here, if Australians desired local appointments.

CHOOSE EXPERIENCED ADMINISTRATORS.

Replying to the toast of his health, Lord Milner said he would take advantage of what might probably be his last opportunity of addressing a company which was largely representative of the Dominions. He said that during the last two years at the Colonial Office, he had met nothing but the greatest kindness, sympathy and cordial cooperation by visiting Dominion Premiers, Ministers, High Commissioners, Agents-General and pressmen connected with the Dominions. He believed that he had derived a great advantage in the administration of the Colonial Office, from the past experience as Colonial Governor. He was convinced that the successful administration of colonies and the maintenance of good relations between Britain and Self-Governing Dominions would be promoted by a constant flow of men, backwards and forwards, and ensuring that the men responsible for the administration in Britain of affairs connected with the Empire outside, should be the men who, as far as possible, had personal experience of the difficulties and conditions of the countries with which they had to deal.

LORD MILNER INTERVIEWED

HIS VIEWS ON NAVAL POLICY

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 10-30 a.m., Jan. 15.

In the course of an interview Lord Milner said he expected to vacate the office at end of the month, take rest cure in the south of France and then travel to North Africa. He declared it had been his intention, for some time, to go to Australia. He said big decisions must be taken by the Imperial Conference in June, with regard to the naval policy and the distribution of the naval power.

NATIONAL DEBT FIGURES.

1921—7831 MILLIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 6 p.m., Jan. 15.

A White Paper gives particulars of the National Debt yearly since 1875, when it was 766 millions. After that it declined to 628 millions in 1900, but then rose to 770 millions in 1904. It started to decrease in 1905 and the decrease was continued until the opening of the war. The figures for 1921 are 7831 millions.

DOVER BYE-ELECTION

DEFEAT OF COALITIONIST

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13
Recd. 6 p.m., Jan. 15.

The bye-election at Dover resulted as follows:—

Mr. Thomas Polson Independent standing on anti-waste platform) 13947.
Mr. Astor (Coalitionist) 10817.

MESSRS. MONTAGU'S REPORT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 10 p.m., Jan. 16.

Messrs. Montagu's report says that the tone of the market is heavy, owing to liquidation of bull operators to lighten commitments, the movement of the United States in favour of Britain, and larger sales from the Continent. Americans have made purchases. China operated both ways, and some bear accounts have closed and taken profit.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT LEAVES FOR NAGPUR.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
MADRAS, Jan. 16.

The Duke of Connaught left last night for Nagpur by a special train. Royal Highness accompanied by Lady Willingdon arrived at the station actually at 11 p.m. Among the persons present to see the Duke off were the Lord Mayor of the Madras Corporation, Sheriff of Madras and Raja of Venkatagiri. The train left five minutes after 11 amidst cheers. Those present on the platform during the halt was private.

GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF LABOUR.

DISSOLVED BY CORRECTIONAL COURT

FINE IMPOSED ON LEADERS

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 6 p.m., Jan. 15.

Paris.—The Correctional Court after a protracted trial has dissolved the General Confederation of Labour and imposed upon Jouhaux and four other leaders a joint fine of hundred francs and payment of the costs of the prosecution, initiated by M. Millerand's Government on account of the Confederation's activities in the railway strike last May, in calling sympathetic strikes in industries essential to the country's life. The court further ordered the property of the Confederation to be liquidated.

CORRECTIONAL COURT'S SENTENCE.

GENERAL CONFEDERATION OF LABOUR TO CHALLENGE DECISION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m. Jan. 16.

Paris.—The General Confederation of Labour is aghast at the sentence of the Correctional Court, and has announced its decision to challenge the decision. It violently attacks Government and vehemently asserts that Labour will never agree to dissolution.

M. LEYGUES' OVERTHROW.

ITS REASONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 4 p.m., Jan. 15.

The overthrow of M. Leygues may be ascribed to a variety of reasons. He was always regarded as a sort of buffer between two strong men, M. Millerand and Briand, whose accession to the Premiership after M. Millerand's election as President, was regarded as a certainty. The latter however, decided otherwise. Thus some bitterness always remained. Moreover, M. Leygues was condemned as being too acquiescent with regard to the British standpoint and insufficiently insistent for the interests of France, especially concerning the strict execution of the Treaty of Versailles. The majority of the Chamber are very dissatisfied with German postponements and excuses, and they look to the reparations money to repair French finances which are gravely disorganised. Hence the latent feeling against M. Leygues has reached boiling point. Future experience must decide whether the new Cabinet with the so-called strong and firm policy will promote or detract from the Anglo-French Entente.

ITS PROBABLE IMMEDIATE EFFECT

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 10-30 a.m., Jan. 15

It is probable that the immediate effect of the fall of Mr. Leygues' Government will be the postponement of the Inter-allied Conference in Paris on January 19th. The defeat is attributed to the accumulation of causes connected with the internal and external policy, but the Chamber is in no way anti-British, despite the criticisms regarding M. Leygues' conduct of foreign affairs

HOPES AND FEARS OF GERMANY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 10-30 a.m., Jan. 15

Berlin.—Hopes and fears of Germans are reflected in the comments on the fall of the French Government which is being keenly discussed in the papers as betokening a possible new phase of the French post-war policy. The reactionary organs are of opinion that the Chamber wants a stronger man than M. Leygues to tackle Britain and Italy, on the question of German disarmament, and expect a harsher policy towards Germany, but the Socialist organs believe that France's financial difficulties will compel her to approach Germany with a view to economic and, ultimately, political understanding.

A Paris message says that M. Raoul has agreed to form a Cabinet.

BOXING IN LONDON.

HERMAN BEATS JIMMY WILDE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 10 p.m., Jan. 16.

In a twenty round boxing contest at Albert Hall to-day, between Jimmy Wilde, the World's Fly-weight Champion and Pete Herman, the American Bantamweight Champion, the referee stopped the fight in the seventeenth round in Herman's favour.

There was a huge attendance, including the Prince of Wales, to witness the fight between Jimmy Wilde and Pete Herman. The contest was arranged on the bantamweight 8 stone 6 pounds basis. Herman was one and a half pounds overweight, but Wilde decided to fight. Wilde showed his usual skill, but his blows lacked power; while Herman landed many telling punches and at the end of the fifteenth round had Wilde nearly beaten with the right swing to jaw. In the seventeenth. Herman floored Wilde three times and the referee then intervened to prevent a knock-out.

DEATH OF RAO BAHADUR MUDHOLKAR.

EX-PRESIDENT OF THE CONGRESS

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
NAGPUR, Jan. 15.

Rao Bahadur R. N. Mudholkar, Additional Judicial Commissioner, C. P., expired at Nagpur. His dead body was carried in motor to Amraoti for cremation. All local Government offices have been closed to-day in memory of his death. Instructions have been issued to close the Government offices in Berar. He was an old Congressman holding moderate views. He was once a member of the Imperial Council and was also a member of the C. P. Legislative Council before he accepted the Government appointment.

The late Rao Bahadur Ranganath Narsigh Mudholkar was born at Dhulia on the 16th May 1857. He was a bright boy almost throughout his school and college career; as Principal Wordsworth remarked of him, a couple of years after he took his B.A. degree, "he early attracted my attention and the expectations which I then formed of him have been fully realised. I have a very high opinion of his intellectual and moral attainments and personally a very sincere regard for him." He passed LLB., and commenced practice in 1881 at Akola and having attained within 1 year a second position at the local Bar, he shifted to Amraoti in 1882, where he enjoyed a most lucrative practice being almost all the time at the top of the Bar.

Almost from the commencement of his career, Mr. Mudholkar threw himself actively into the public life of his province and the country. And, even in those early days when men's attention was given rather exclusively to politics, Mr. Mudholkar was busying himself in matters of industrial development and social reform equally with political affairs. He never took a narrow or one-sided view of national life, his very first public act in Berar being the establishment, in conjunction with some friends, of the prosperous Berar Trading Co. Ltd., of which he acted as Secretary for several years.

He was one of the founders of the now-defunct "Vaidarbha" newspaper, which for over 16 years had rendered useful service to the community. Mr. Mudholkar had contributed the largest number of articles that appeared in it.

In 1885 he took part in the establishment of the Dufferin Fund in Berar.

He was mainly instrumental in the establishmen of the Berar Sarrajanik Sabha in the year 1886, and was its joint Secretary till 1898. Most of the representations on important public questions submitted by the Sabha to Government were drawn up by Mr. Mudholkar.

For 18 years he served on the Amraoti City Municipality and was always foremost in the discussion of provincial questions in the Press and in representations to Government.

His services in connection with Revision Survey and resettlement of Land Revenue and agricultural indebtedness have been magnificent.

Mr. Mudholkar was invariably placed by Government on the Committees to which measures proposed to be enacted into law were referred by the Administration.

Mr. Mudholkar joined the Indian National Congress in 1888 and at once became its prominent member; and was one of its unceasing and most indefatigable workers till the other day when he along with other Moderates seceded from the parent body and started the Moderate Conference. He was one of the Congress delegates to England in 1890.

Mr. Mudholkar cooperating with others rendered yeoman services in the days of the great famines of 1897 and 1899-1900. In the teeth of opposition from Curzonian Secretariat he, after strenuous efforts, succeeded in founding the Technical Institute for Mechanical Engineering and kindred subjects.

Mr. Mudholkar presided over the 3rd Berar Provincial Conference, held at Ralpur in 1907 and over the 1st and 2nd Industrial Conferences. He presided over the Indian National Congress, held at Bankipore.

A MATERNITY HOSTEL ON FIRE.

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GIVE INDIA FREEDOM.

ONLY WAY TO BLOT OUT PUNJAB HORRORS.

COL. WEDGWOOD'S ADVICE TO AGITATE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Jan. 14.

Colonel and Mrs. Wedgwood were entertained at a dinner party, last night, by Messrs. A. Rengaswami Iyengar and S. Satyamurthi. About fifty guests responded to the invitation. Mr. Rengaswami Iyengar proposed the toast of the guests, characterising the Colonel as a stern and valiant fighter for the cause of India. Colonel Wedgwood, in reply, said the people in England were beginning to take interest in Indian affairs. It seemed to the Colonel that the setting free of India was the greatest work that any Labour man or Liberal could do. The worst thing that had happened in the British Empire, within the last 100 years, was the Jallianwalla Bagh massacre and Martial Law regime in the Punjab. He desired to blot that out of history, and the only way to do that was by giving India freedom and thereby making her one of the greatest democracies in the world.

AGITATE IN LEGISLATIVE COUNCILS.

Continuing, the Colonel spoke on the necessity of carrying on their agitation in the legislative councils, as the necessary training could be obtained only in the councils and that was most important if Indian Democracy was to win its way.

RAILWAY POLICE COMMITTEE

TERMS OF REFERENCE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Jan. 15.

The constitution of the Railway Police Committee has already been announced Its terms of reference may be summed up as follows:—

(I) To consider whether arrangements now made for protection of travellers and property of railways in India were defective.

(II) If arrangements in question are ineffective, (a) to report how far shortcomings are due to a defective organisation, (b) defects in the personnel, (c) defective methods of investigation, (d) defective arrangements made (1) for the protection of passengers, (2) for the protection of goods in transit or for protection of property and goods and transhipment sheds and station yards.

(III) To make such recommendations as may seem calculated to mitigate or remove any defects that the Committee may discover or as may seem otherwise germane to objects of inquiry. Questions of pay will not form part of the inquiry.

MADRAS COUNCIL.

SALARY OF MINISTER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Jan. 15.

At a meeting of the Madras Legislative Council on the 14th February, Rao Bahadur K. S. Venkataramiar will move that the salary of ministers be fixed between Rs. two to three thousand per mensem.

PUNJAB SWARAJ ASHRAMA.

AIMS AND OBJECTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Jan. 15.

Dr. Kitchlew wires from Amritsar that the Punjab Swarajya Ashram has been established in Amritsar, the object being the attainment of Swaraj by peaceful and legitimate means. It will have branches throughout the province. A good number of national workers from different parts of the province have already joined. Messrs. Fabni Hari and Co. have given for the Ashram a spacious house with nine bighas of land on a free lease for five years. Ashram will have its own library and press and will train young men for national work.

AT THE EXCELSIOR THEATRE

"PEACHES AND CREAM."

The Ranvas Company gave a matinee yesterday of 'Peaches and Cream' before leaving Bombay. It can hardly be called a 'Comedy', since 'Comedy' implies one particular plot, of which there is, none here. It is only a musical something to laugh at. There was plenty of singing, and good singing too, particularly by Miss Viola Williams and Miss May Rawlinson. The costumes were attractive and the lighting was effective. Mr. Leonard Neville was as usual the most comic of all the comedians. The Orchestra played beautifully, and the jazz drummer, Mr. Lennie Heyes was encored for his curious performance by the audience. In the fifth scene of the first act, there is one scene, entitled 'The eternal triangle', which, the Orientals would take exception to. Orientals do not doubt that some men and women are bad in this world. But they do not want their badness to be unblushingly exhibited in novels or on the stage as something to be laughed at much less to be proud of! Western Companies who come to India in future might bear this in mind.

GENERAL MAUDE.

"A GREAT SOLDIER AND A REAL GENTLEMAN."

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 15.

In the course of his address in unveiling a memorial to General Maude, Field-Marshal Robertson said that when he recommended General Maude for command in Mesopotamia, after the fall of Kut he did so realising the necessity for making no mistake in selection. The Mesopotamian campaign had been a blunder in conception and execution, but General Maude made his dispositions so carefully and skilfully, and executed his plans so well that when he struck he did so with certainty and success. General Maude's death was a loss to the Empire. He was great soldier and a great gentleman, who was loved and respected by all who served under him. His name would be held in honour, respect and admiration for all time.

SIR ROBERT BADEN-POWELL

RECEPTION ON EVE OF DEPARTURE FOR INDIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 15.

A Gibraltar message states that the Boy Scouts gave an enthusiastic reception to Lt.-General Sir Robert Baden Powell who was rowed ashore from Narkunda by seascouts. Sir Robert inspected and addressed a grand rally of scouts in the presence of the govrnor and leading officials. Sir Robert and Lady Baden-Powell left to-day for India.

CONGRESS OF UNIVERSITIES OF BRITISH EMPIRE.

PLANS NOW BEING FRAMED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 15.

Plans are now being framed for the Congress of Universities of the Empire at Oxford, on July 5th to 8th, at which it is expected that delegates from all fifty-eight universities in the United Kingdom will be present. Distinguished members of the Cabinet and the former members of the Cabinet, who are chancellors of the English, Scottish and Irish, universities, will preside.

Many universities will be represented by the heads, for example, Sir Arthur Currie of the McGill University, Canada, and other distinguished oversea people will visit home universities whose guests they will be for a month.

LOOTING BY STRIKERS AND BANDITS IN ARGENTINE.

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES BY GOVT

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m., Jan. 16.

Buenos Aires.—Government has sent troops to Santa Cruz ditrict, owing to the strikers and bandits looting the property of landowners, some of whom have taken refuge at Puerto Gallegos, while others have fled to the Chilian frontier. The British cruiser, Peterfield, has gone to Mar Del Plata from Montevideo, and an Argentine naval detachment has landed at Puerto Gallegos to deal with any emergency.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

FIRST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 0-15 p.m., Jan. 15.

The first birthday of the League of Nations was celebrated in imposing style at Albert Hall, yesterday. There was full attendance of Foreign and Dominion Governments' representatives. The principal speakers were Viscount Grey, Lord Robert Cecil, and Mr. Barnes, M. P.

The King telegraphed that he had every reason to be satisfied with the work accomplished during the first year of the League and appealing to men and women of the British Empire to support the organisation, the high ideals of which were only a guarantee of future generations against a desolating war.

The Premier sent a message saying the League embodied the deepest hopes of mankind. Its machinery had made a good start, and its subsequent success depended on the nations represented, insisting upon fair and open dealing one with the other.

Sir Robert Cecil said that while the League had made mistakes and missed opportunitie, it still had overcome many difficulties. Anyone who said it had done nothing lied. It had already grown in size, organisation, reputation and authority. Wherever it had been tested it had been found adequate for the purpose for which it was devised.

His Excellency the Governor will perform the unveiling ceremony of the portraits of Sir P. M. Mehta, Sir D. E. Wacha, and Sir Ibrahim Rahimtoolah, at the Municipal Corporation, probably on the evening of the dinner of the President in honour of his Excellency. Mr. J. A. Lalcaka has done the portrait of Sir Pherozeshah.

INTER-EMPIRE EXCHANGE STABILITY.

NEED FOR DRASTIC ECONOMY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 6 p.m., Jan. 15.

At a meeting of the Association of the British Chambers of Commerce (mentioned earlier) the Chairman Mr. Albert John Hobson moving the resolution for inter-Empire exchanges said that, if the Associated chambers pressed the resolution it would be considered in the dominions' conferences next summer. The stabilisation of the exchanges of the Empire would undoubtedly help to restore the purchasing power of the sovereign and assist in restoring the American exchange. The conference passed a unanious resolution calling for immediate drastic economy, closing unessential ministries and departments and the suspension of new social legislation which the country could not yet afford.

BIG DROP IN PRICE OF YARN.

SEQUEL TO LAPSE OF AN AGREEMENT

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m. Jan. 16.

Big drop in the price of yarn, estimated at sixty per cent, is forecasted from Belfact, in consequence of the lapse of an agreement by the British and continental-spinners, thereby creating a free market. It is anticipated that this will have favourable effects on linen trade, and that the price of linen articles will fall thirty-five per cent. It is thought that yarn manufacturers and merchants will be helped over their losses, if necessary.

BIG CUT IN IRON AND STEEL PRICES

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m. Jan. 16.

One result of the abundance of fuel supplies in Sheffield has been a big cut in iron and steel prides. Bright drawn steel is five pounds sterling per ton lower. Depression in coal export trade has led to short-time being adopted in Monmouth mines. Two thousand miners are idle in one area.

AIR FORCE AS GARRISON REDUCER.

DETAILS OF WING-COMMANDER CHAMIER'S PROPOSALS.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 1 p.m., Jan. 16.

In his lecture before the United Service Institution King-Commander Chamier said if two air squadrons in Mesopotamia were reinforced by another eight squadrons, a garrison which was forty-seven thousand before rising could be reduced to eight thousand, at a cost of only ten millions sterling or haif of the present cost.

Major-General Brancker agreed and Major-General Sir N. Smyth urged that the proposals should be carried out expreprimentally.

DELHI FUNERAL CASE.

ENHANCED SECURITIES.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Jan. 15.

Before Mr. Shuttleworth, the hearing was resumed to-day of the Delhi Funeral Case in the District Jail. Mr. Shiv Narain, counsel for Mr. Ishaq, one of the four accused, submitted a medical certificate on behalf of his client showing the accused's inability to attend the Court for another week. The counsel also submitted that in the absence of the accused the case against him should be held till his appearance. Now in the case of the three accused Abdulla, Ishaq and Hassan Aziz the position to-day stood thus:—On the 14th instant Mr. Shuttleworth passed an order and issued notices to these accused enjoining upon each of them to submit two enhanced securities of Rs. 1,500 and also a personal bond of Rs. 1,500. The ground for this action was that firstly the Court considered that in view of the prolonged proceedings, the existing amount of security was inadequate; and secondly, only one surety stood for all the three accused.

Mr. Rauf Ali, counsel for Abdulla, submitted that order was expert decision No notice was given to the accused to show cause why their securities be not enhanced and the point was never legally discussed. It did not matter what amount of security the accused had to produce, but they wanted fairplay on the point of principle. Moreover the accused were respectable people who never showed inclination to run away from the jurisdiction of Court. The notice reflected upon their character. The Court thereupon revised the previous decision and ordered that consuls should appear on the 18th to discuss the point on the distinct understandings that the securities must be put at a higher figure and that each accused should procure separate sureties.

Mr. Hassan Aziz, an accused. submitted the following statement:—"I am a non-cooperator, but I also believe that righteousness be advertised by whatever means. It was for this reason that I had so far defended myself. My work is now done. I never recognise the authority of this Court and I now follow the remaining part of Non-Cooperation and will consequently answer no query, nor do I want to hold myself under any surety." The Court thereupon ordered that the accused Aziz Hassan be remanded.

The list of defence witnesses stands at 120, seventy for Ishaq and 50 for Abdulla. The Court ordered that before proceeding to investigate the nature of witnesses asked for the accused, they should deposit by Thursday Rs. 5-4 for each witness if a tax payer and Rs. 2-4 if a non-taxpayer.

The Court then adjourned till the 19th instant.

BRITISH-AUSTRALIAN WOOL ASSOCIATION

TO BE FORMED IMMEDIATELY

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 6 p.m., Jan. 15.

Melbourne.—Mr. Hughes announcing that the Imperial Government had approved the formation of the British-Australian Wool Realisation Association for the control of the sale of carry-over of wool to come into operation immediately, expressed great satisfaction and said he was convinced that it would be of great advantage to the wool industry and the Empire generally.

GOVT'S. SCHEME FOR DISPOSAL.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 14.
Recd. 10 p.m., Jan. 16.

The Ministry of Munitions announces that Government has accepted a scheme for the disposal of surplus wool stocks by a company, which will be registered at Melbourne styled the British Australian Wool Realisation Association, proprietors of which will be Australian wool-growers. An agency contract will be arranged between His Majesty's Government and the Association for sale on commission by the latter of the British half of the existing stocks of Australian wool. It is expected that similar agency arrangements will be made with regard to New Zealand and other wools and sheep-skins now held by the British Government. The Association will be governed by a directorate of eleven, of which five will be in London and six in Melbourne. There will also be an Australian advisory council of eighteen representatives of Australian wool industry.

RESULT OF COAL GLUT

BUSINESS ON PRE-WAR COMPETITIVE LINES RESUMED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 10-30 a.m., Jan. 15

Owing to the glut of coal stocks, the Scottish coal-masters have agreed to abandon the fixed prices for exporting coal, and transact future business on the pre war competitive lines. More coal is being produced in Scotland than is marketable. The railway sidings are congested with unwanted loaded waggons. The industrial demand has diminished one-third, as steel works are running three-fourths' capacity, while the disturbed condition of Ireland has curtailed the export to Ireland.

Owing to shipping slump, sixty vessels have been indefinitely laid up on the Tyneside, and dozens of others have left foreign ports for a like purpose. Many others are lying in the river awaiting cargoes. It is stated that coal can now be shipped and delivered in Norway from Australia at a pound a ton cheaper than from England.

TRIAL OF AN EDITOR.

"ROAD OF ALLAH."

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

KARACHI, Jan. 15.

The case against Kazi Abdulrahman, Editor of the "Alwahid", came again for hearing to-day. The Court was crowded and the accused was profusely garlanded. The Public Prosecutor said that he had not much to say, only the articles showed the accused's intention was seditious. The Magistrate framed the charge under Section 124, the only basis for the charge being three articles. The accused pleaded not guilty. He did not cross-examine the witnesses and was not represented by the pleader. He submitted a statement saying that he would serve his God, faith and country by being a true non-violent non-cooperator and deemed the allegations as false and said he was innocent in intent and action and believed that the path to prison-house was also the road of Allah. Compassionate judgment will be delivered on Thursday next. After the Court adjourned Kazi Abdulrahman was profusely garlanded amidst shouts of "Bande Mataram" and "Allahoakbar."

ACCUSED PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

The hearing of the charge under section 124 (A) of the Indian Penal Code (bringing Government into hatred and contempt) against Mr. Abdulrahman, the editor of "Alwahid", a Khilafatist vernacular daily of Karachi, was resumed this morning before Mr. H. S. V. Acott, I.C.S.

The accused who had at the previous hearing, asked for voluminous copies and translations, to-day said that he had received them in condition which he termed, "worst." He stated that he was not guilty and would present his statement later on.

The Public Prosecutor addressed the Court briefly to the effect that the articles spoke for themselves and other articles produced fully proved the intent of the former, particularly those of the 10th, and the 12th November, subsequent to the last article on which the accused was charged. The Magistrate having framed the charges in respect to the three articles, the accused pleaded "not guilty" and presented a written statement covering several pages. He enquired of the Court whether this statement would be read at any stage of the proceedings and was informed that the law did not require the written statement to be read in the Court.

The Court adjourned the case to the 20th instant for orders.

THIRD TEST MATCH.

SATURDAY'S CRICKET.

PARKIN'S EXCELLENT BOWLING.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

ADAILAIDE, Jan. 15.
Recd. 9 a.m. Jan. 16.

Over 32,000 people were present when the Third Test Match entered upon its second day to-day in fine weather. Pitch was in perfect condition when the overnight not outs, Ryder 36 and Oldfield 22, resumed batting for the Australians to the bowling of Douglas and Howell, Oldfield monopolised batting for many overs and soon surpassed Ryder. A feature of his innings was the magnificent work on the leg side and some splendid straight driving. Hendren was repeatedly cheered for his adsirable work in the outfield, which was saving many runs, while Fender's fielding in the slips was also excellent.

With the total 344 a double change was effected, Parkin and Woolley displacing Douglas and Howell. The change was immediately effective for Parkin got Ryder caught in the slips by Douglas, off the second ball of his second over. Ryder had batted brightly and stylishly for 112 minutes for his 44, which included four fours. Oldfield when 49 was missed at point by Parkin, off Woolley. The mistake was fortunately not expensive, for shortly afterwards Oldfield was dismissed for a charming fifty, characterised by beautiful cutting. He batted 76 minutes and his innings included seven fours. His was universally acclaimed the most polished display on the Australian side.

Parkin's bowling, throughout the innings, was excellent. His lgures to-day were:—Five overs, one maiden, six runs, and three wickets: England's fielding to-day was keen.

ENGLAND'S INNINGS.

Rhodes and Hobbs opened England's venture in quite a lively fashion indulging in numerous short runs. At 25, however, Hobbs overdid it. He played a ball to a silly mid-on and called for a run and McDonald darting in from mid-on gathered the ball and threw down the wicket. Make peace, the newcomer, was missed by Oldfield at the wicket, off Gregory, before he had scored, and when 14 he narrowly missed playing on to Gregory. At 49 Hobbs was dismissed by a sensational catch. He drove one of Mailey's hard back and over Mailey's head. Mailey jumped high into the air and brought off a wonderful one-handed catch which merited the applause it received.

Makepeace and Hendren played confident cricket, until Armstrong relieved Mailey, when the play became very quiet. Armstrong at one stage had bowled five overs, three of which were maidens, for three runs. Just before tea, Hendren was beaten by a good ball, from Gregory. Hendren batted an hour for his 36 which included two fours.

On resuming, Woolley and Makepeace indulged in some bright batting and kept the fielders busy. When Makepeace had made 54, Oldfield appealed for a catch at the wicket, but the appeal was disallowed. One hundred and fifty went up in 129 minutes. At length, Makepeace was dismissed for an invaluable innings of 60 which included six fours. When he was dismissed, Amstrong's analysis was:—Eight overs five maidens five runs and one wicket.

Woolley continued to bat beautifully and there was a great round of applause when he lifted Mailey out of the ground for six and helped himself to seven more from the same over. In the fielding, a hot return from Woolley, Mailey's hand was injured and he had to retire, Park taking his place in the field.

SATURDAY'S INTERESTING CRICKET.

Cricket to-day was of a most interesting character, thought prior to Woolley's arrival, the English batting was of a most stolid description(but this was only to be expected in view of the significance of the occasion.

Scores:—

AUSTRALIA.

Collins c Rhodes b Parkin	162
Bardsley st Strudwick b Douglas	14
Kelleway c Fender b Parkin	4
Taylor run out	5
Armstrong c Struckwick b Douglas	11
Pellew run out	35
Gregory c Strudwick b Fender	10
Ryder c Douglas b Parkin	44
Oldfield lbw b Parkin	50
McDonald b Parkin	2
Mailey not out	3
Extras	14
Total	354

M. C. C.

Rhodes run out	16
Hobbs c and b Mailey	18
Makepeace c Gregory b Armstrong	60
Hendren b Gregory	36
Woolley not out	73
Russell not out	21
Extras	9
Total (for four wickets)	233

Australians' bowling analyses up to the present read as follows:—

Bowling Analysis.—Australian.

	O.	M	R.	W.
...Mailey	15	1	88	1
Armstrong	14	6	19	1
Gregory	19	2	62	1

Bowling Analysis.—M. C. C.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Parkin	26	2	99	5
Howell	26	1	89	0
Douglas	24	6	69	2
Woolley	21	6	47	0
Fender	12	0	52	1
Rhodes	5	1	23	0

TASMANIAN TRIP CANCELLED

It is announced that the Tasmanian trip has been cancelled owing to shipping difficulty. Matches are being arranged at Hamilton, Maryborough, and Stawell.

TENNIS TEST MATCHES

AUSTRALIA v. UNITED STATES

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Jan. 13.
Recd. 6 p.m., Jan. 15

Melbourne.—In the tennis test match between Australia and the United States, Tilden beat Hawkes 6/3, 6/3 and Washburn beat Patterson 7/5, 6/3. Brookes and O'Hara Wood beat Tilden and Johnston 6/4, 7/5, 6/3. The American captain declared that the doubles was the greatest game ever played in the world. Tilden said he was very thankful that they had not met O'Hara Wood and Brookes in the Davis Cup.

"WITH THE ASSENT OF TALUKDARS"!

COMMISSIONER RELEASES 660 FROM JAIL.

ANOTHER PANCHAYAT LEADER ARRESTED.

TROUBLE AT RAE BARELI

RAE BARELI, Jan. 11.

We give below further detailed account of the trouble at Rae Bareli as telegraphed by the special correspondent of "The Independent":

Sheo Prasad Singh of village Khurahti, military pensioner and Panch, and Samepal Songh are said to have come here yesterday to buy salt because Rustampur Bazar was closed. They were arrested. Messrs. Balmukhand, Sheobihari, Surajprasad, Kartakrishna Jagannath Prashad and Devidutt have arrived here from Lucknow. Representatives of "Leader," "Pioneer," "Bhavishya" and "Pratap" have also arrived. Parties of enquiry of three each have been formed. They are proceeding to Belacharu and Salon to-day. Chaudamba Deeh Bazar and Nasirabad will be visited to-morrow.

FACTS ABOUT LOOTING.

Pandits, Gaurishankar Misra and Bishambhar Nath Bajpai and party proceeded to Rustampur Bazar which was looted on Wednesday last. It is stated that rumours of loot were afloat a day earlier. Some eight minor shops were said to be looted. One Rupsingh, cloth-merchant, who has his shop within the walled enclosure of the Talugdar's house at Rustampore is said to have been looted of his belongings. Though the Talukdar's house and servants were neither raided nor looted. Rupsingh's shop still contains about four sacks of torn papers alleged by Rupsingh to be his Bahees and Ruqqas. The said shop also contains the ironsafe, two wooden almirah untouched by the mob. The pecuniary loss is apparently insignificant. The object of the crowd did not seem to be gain. The general belief of the residents is that certain badmashes of the neighbouring villages had taken the Kisans on misrepresentation and themselves began looting. Certain others seem to have joined to feed private grudges. These badmashes are not Kisans. Some stated that a few of the looters shouted that the Deputy Commissioner had ordered loot. Police at Rustampur are threatening people to give evidence that Murais' green vegetables and Rasad from others are alleged to be taken without payment. The Police at Salon are oppressing and threatening villagers. The Kisans are not terrified.

Some 24 from Mauza Belakhara and some 80 from Nasirabad were arrested yesterday. The charges are not yet known. Panchas Kisan Sabha are dragged in. No fresh disturbances have occurred. Four more wounded admitted in the hospital. One died yesterday.

PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

In continuation of the press communique on the subject of the agrarian disturbances in the Rae Bareli district, certain further developments took place on the 7th and following days. The principal incident was the gathering on the 7th January of a large mob outside the jail where numerous prisoners had been confined. The crowd was moved across the river, but near Munshiganj was largely reinforced by others coming towards the city. It became unmanageable and attacked the police sowars who were compelled to fire, killing 4 and wounding 5 or more. As one of the wounded in the attack on Fursatganj already published has since died, the total number of deaths reported now becomes 9. The wounded number about a dozen. It has been possible with the augmented police force to handle peacefully all other demonstrations, and to frustrate the few contemplated attacks on bazaars.

The police have behaved very well in trying circumstances. The Commissioner reports also that Sirdar Birpal Singh has throughout these disturbances been indefatigable in assisting the district authorities in preserving order and has shown an indifference to personal danger worthy of the best Sikh traditions. The statement that he led the firing is entirely false. He only fired one pistol shot in self defence when seriously attacked with stone and lathis.

The Commissioner reports that cultivators have stopped moving about in large bands and that the situation is now well in hand and that he contemplates returning to Lucknow. He adds in his report that he visited the jail with the Talukdars whose property had suffered in the recent disturbances, and with their assent released the 660 prisoners confined there, explaining to them that the institution was a jail and not a lunatic asylum. The prisoners were admonished by an eloquent speaker, and they promised good behaviour in future. The Commissioner believes that they went quietly back to their villages in small parties.

DID YO EVER SEE A BABY ROBINSON CRUSOE?

Did you ever see a baby Robinson Crusoe? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

Can a woman discover her own soul in awakening that of a seeming savage wh has forgotten the sound of human speech? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

How would a child of six, sturdy and strong of constitution, but absolutely alone on an uncharted island, manage to exist and what would become of him? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

What would be like to happen with two men with one woman, for whom each cares according to his own nature alone on an Island to which no ship has come in twenty-one years? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

What sort of a woman would elect to remain by herself on a lonely island rather than return to the world under a cloud of suspicion? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

Can one live the life of a semi-savage from childhood, seeing no human face in twenty-one years, and then become a man of intellect and refinement? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

Can a woman of refinement love a man she has found living in a savage state, ignorant even of human speech? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

What will impel a man in love with a woman to send another man to find her and take her into his life? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

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INDIAN RAILWAY MANAGEMENT.

TRAVELLING FACILITIES.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Those who adversely criticise travelling facilities on Railways in this country as compared with what obtains in England, France or Germany, overlook the fact that in a huge country as India with its area of nearly two million square miles and population exceeding three hundred millions there are only 35,000 miles of railroads. Many of the large and populous cities are served by one railway and traffic from all parts of the country to these centres converges on the one line and overcrowding in trains is inevitable. The railway authorities are fully alive to the inconveniences experienced by the travelling public and are anxious to alleviate the difficulties of the public as far as feasible. But their efforts cannot be very fruitful until the mileage of Indian Railways is at least doubled, large cities are provided with alternate routes and more sea-port towns are opened to commerce. The Docks and the Railways are inter-dependent for the purpose of commerce and any extension of one without simultaneous extension of the otlfer makes the drawback of the policy at once apparent. I shall point out later on that the mere extension of facilities at the existing ports will not help to relieve congestions on railways to any appreciable extent as the opening of new ports and diverting of certain classes of railways traffic such as coal, manganese ore, etc., would.

Considerable improvements have been effected during the last ten years on Indian Railways in the acceleration of train service and providing comforts for First and Second class passengers. I would recommend extensive use of Corridor Trains on all Mails and expresses with sleeping and Restaurant Cars running through without being detached *en route*, provision for the latter being replenished at large cities on the journey. Parcels must not be carried by these trains unless paid for at special enhanced rates. This will permit of stoppages and delays on the journey being curtailed and would tend to still further accelerate the speed of trains. The rigid caste rites and customs of Indian passengers precludes the possibility of providing separate Restaurant Cars for Indians, as no caterer would come forward to contract for the very few who would discard their prejudices. There should however be a separate small compartment reserved on through corridor trains not only for Ice and Aerated Waters but for sweets and Fruits as well. Hawkers on the platforms should cease as they are a decided nuisance and we must await "Raja's Cinema-show-like description of their doings to realise how far they constitute a nuisance specially at night.

The introduction of "Inter" class with a view to affording relief to third class passengers was frustrated by would-be second class passengers actually resorting to this cheaper means of travelling, resulting in decrease in the earnings from second class fares. The peasant classes who form the majority of third class passengers are really in need of some relief, not so much from overcrowding, as, yet cheaper means of travelling, by the introduction of Fourth class at the rate of 2 pies per mile. Large bogey carriages each to hold 120 passengers and with W. C. arrangements and seating passengers on the floor should be run on Luggage and Parcel trains, the loads being made up with these to the full hauling capacity of the engine. These vehicles which would be without such obstructions as seats and with entrances only at the two ends would be useful for fruit and vegetable traffic when not in use for conveying passengers. One's sentiments need not be shocked at this suggestion as the people for whom this mode of travelling is intended are those who live in crowded tenements all their lives and sit, eat and sleep on the floor. The peculiarity of these people is their very strong desire for each party or village community to travel together and nothing disheartens them more than to see their party divided and accommodated in different compartments to avoid overcrowding. Cheap fare is the only thing that their very slender purse will appreciate as a boon in reality.

"ENGINEERING."

Standard Guage.—One of the greatest hindrances to the smooth and efficient working of railways in India is the break of guage. There is certainly no objection to short feeder lines on either the Metre or Narrow Guage system, but there is no excuse for the existence of such trunk lines of several hundreds of miles of metre-guage railways as the Rajputana Malwa, the Southern Mahratta and others. All the worst cases of delays, pilferrages, damage, exchanges and misdespatch of consignments take place at the points of transhipment at Junctions with metre guage railways and the detention to rolling stock of both railways concerned is abnormal. Trucks that would reach their distination with goods intact and would be back with return loads on a journey if without break of guage, are held up at transhipping junctions awaiting their turn. The process of transforming these sent in surmountable difficulties if small sections of the lines adjoining broad guage railways are handed over to the latter for changing of guage and working with their own stock. There is a splendid opportunity now of disposing of the major portion of the Rolling Stock to Railways in Asia Minor and Africa in connection with railway developments there and the rest would be so far worn out by the time the guage of the entire railway is changed that they would be only fit to be scrapped.

New Ports and Alternate Ry. Routes.—With the ever increasing sea-borne traffic of India with her offer of millions of tons of raw material for export to foreign countries, the mere quadruppling of 30 or 40 miles of the railways near the termini or the construcion of new Docks at the same sea-port will never tend to relieve the situation. The quadruppling of a short-section of a railway will serve the purpose of more regular suburban passenger traffic, the running of 50 or 60 of these trains either ways daily would otherwise be seriously impeded by the major service. The facilities and accommodation at a railway terminus soon prove inadequate and even where these are extended, difficulties arise at the point where the quadruppling begins. Then again at the point at which all the traffic accumulates and where distribution to the various docks takes place great confusion reigns in sorting and marshalling trains for several destinations and it is found that sufficient shuttle service cannot be organized within the working hours of a day to clear all the traffic. These difficulties continue to multiply and in turn affect all the large junction higher up the line and the idea is forced on one that the only sound policy under such circumstances is to open out new ports served by railways by quite different routes.

Standard Pattern Rolling Stock.—If all the railways would only consent to adopt a standard pattern of certain types of locomotives for the various services and at least the travelling and hauling gears for other rolling stock it would result in quicker method in manufacture and cheaper cost in production besides enabling the Indian Railway authorities to stock spare parts at important centres to expeditiously effect repairs. This suggestion was frequently put forward by manufacturers and men with ripe experience in the working of railways and it now requires for one in authority to determine the classes of Rolling Stock best suited for the requirements of Indian Railways and enforce it. Yours, etc.

S. T.

Orlem-Malad, 13th January 1921.

†Part I and II. appeared on Jan. 6th.—11th Jan. respectively. 1

THE SCHOOL OF ART.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I shall be obliged if you will publish the following in your esteemed column. Your editorial criticisms on the School of Art and especially on the work and utility of Pottery Department in your issue of 4th January last, is, I believe not fair. One who knows the work of the Department will testify the following facts and these will prove what an original work has been accomplished in the Department under the able guidance of Mr. Fern. This Department was established in the year 1908. The various clays of the Presidency were tested and specimens of tiles and vases were made quite equal to the foreign ones. Having satisfied with the results Lord Sydenham (then Sir George Clarke), the Governor of Bombay, who took keen interest in Science, opened the department in the year 1910 and the students were admitted to study the Pottery manufacture. During the period of ten years three students have gone to England to finish the training by working at the factories in Staffs the home of pottery. One of the students before going to England was in charge of tile and brick factory in Mysore State and looking to his abilities and cleverness, the Mysore State awarded him the foreign scholarship and he is now studying in England. The first student of the pottery department who secured all distinctions available in the pottery training in England has returned and is engaged in the manufacture of flooring tiles and glazed wall tiles. The Bombay public has seen the specimens of his work at the recent School of Art exhibition. It will not be out of place to mention that Her Excellency Lady Lloyd admired the vases made in the Department and was presented with all the big vases and two other exclusive red glazed vases.

The other students trained in the Department are all engaged and no one is out of service or had to give up the line and go begging for their livelihood.

The quality of work done in the department if compared with the same kind of work done in the foreign countries by the competent authority in the pottery line will be found as good as that of other countries. It is out of the sphere of layman to understand the quality and originality of the work and such criticism is always destructive and unfair.

From my personal experience I say that the department has not been provided with sufficient funds and enough staff to carry on the work of the department more energetically.

Besides training the students, experimental work on clays have been done very extensively free of charge for number of years and only recently fees have been charged.

The work of the department is not brought out in the light on account of its not being published in detail in the official reports and also of the carelessness of the commercial community of Bombay. There are great possibilities for the industry if the capitalists come forward but as usual no body is enterprising enough to do so. Unless the commercial magnates of Bombay work up, they will find one day that the foreign capatilists will take the lead and then it will be too late.

I do not think the present Principal complains of the existence of the department but what he complains is the dual control of the Industries Department and the Educational Department. If I remember right, he has always maintained that the Department must be educational and its artistic side developed. There is no extravagance in the Department as the funds are limited and the accounts are audited every now and then and so there is sufficient control. Had the writer of the editorial collected the above facts he would not have passed such remarks. I wish he would still visit the place and put before the public under what difficulties this technical institute is working.

This will open the eyes of Government and the meritorious service to the cause of technical education be rendered.—Yours, etc.,

C. P. SHAH.

Sandhurst Road,
Zarina College,
Bombay, Jan. 7.

MR. NIMBKAR AND A CHEQUE.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I am called upon by Mahatma Gandhiji to lay before the public of Bombay an important matter regarding the conduct of one Mr. R. S. Nimbkar, a "Non-Cooperator."

Mr. Nimbkar engaged the Marwari Vidyalaya Hall for a lecture on "Non-Cooperation" by Mahatmaji on the 26th of October about half an hour before the meeting was to be held. He promised to pay the usual charges after the lecture was over. The meeting was allowed to be held since a large crowd of people had already gathered outside the Hall. In the course of the lecture Mr. Nimbkar handed over a cheque on the Central Bank of India. After a few days, the cheque was returned to the Secretary by our cashiers as having been dishonoured by the Bank. Information was sent to Mr. Nimbkar on the 24th November of which he took note. Several messages were then sent to him to request him to make the payment but in vain. On the 30th of November another notice was sent to him to inform him that the matter would be placed in the hands of our legal advisers at his costs if he refused to pay the amount. He replied to us on the same day, saying that he had asked his treasurer. "to remit the sum at once." No "treasurer" of his turned up for days together. Again messages were sent to him to avoid an unpleasant course. When he showed complete indifference, a letter was sent to Mahatmaji on the 16th of December. He very kindly asked Mr. Nimbkar to explain his conduct and to pay the amount to us. I am very sorry to learn that he has taken no note of his revered leader's command. The last letter, therefore, was sent to him to communicate to him the advice given to us by Mahatmaji. But it seems that Mr. Nimbkar neither cares for principle, nor personalities. I, therefore, appeal to the bar of public opinion to note the most objectionable conduct of this man whose acts ought to be exposed in the general interest of the people.—Yours, etc.

N. N. LALLA.
Principal.

Marwari Vidyalaya High School.
Jan. 12.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Jan. 14.

Home Department:—Sir D. H. R. Twomey, Messrs. W. J. E. Lupton, H. C. Ferard, and A. Garret, resign Civil Service. Captain G. H. Knowland, First Battalion, 119th Infantry, is appointed Asistant Commandant, Eastern Frontier Rifles.

Education Department:—Following gentlemen are nominated ordinary Fellows of the Calcutta University:—Sir D. P. Sarbadhikary, Dr. Brojendra Nath Seal, Mr. S. C. Mahalandbis, and Mr. J. R. Bannerjee.

Public Works:—Mr. H. J. Hope. Executive Engineer, is transferred to Bengal.

Finance Department:—Mr. M. K. Ghatak officiates as Accountant-General, Central Provinces. Mr. C. W. E. Carson is posted as Deputy Controller of Currency, Bombay.

Commerce Department:—Mr. H. H. Hood Collector of Cdstoms, is transferred from Madras to Karachi.

Army Department:—Lt.Col. A. V. Alexander and Major F. A. Mauguiac is permitted to retire.

Railway Department: Lt.-Col. F. R. H. Eustace is posted as Junior Inspector of Railways, Bombay Circle.

Industries Board:—Dr. Murray Stuart officiates as Superintendent, Geological Survey.

M. CLEMENCEAU AT PESHAWAR.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

PESHAWAR, Jan. 13.

M. Clemenceau accompanied by M. Pietri and M. Turpault arrived at Peshawar by th Bombay Mail on the evening of the 11th. He was met at the station by Sir Hamilton Grant and staff and is a guest at Government House. He visited the Victoria Hall Museum and in the afternoon drove through the city with Sir Hamilton Grant. To-day he is visiting Landi Kotal, accompanied by the Political Agent, Khyber. He leaves for Rawalpindi by the Bombay Mail to-morrow morning.

It is definitely announced that Mg Po Sein, the Burmese actor-manager will tour Europe and America under the management of an American firm with a company of over 30 persons.

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FRONTIER NEWS

SMALL SKIRMISHES REPORTED

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Jan. 14.

A Communique states:—Rifles continue to come in steadily, if somewhat slowly, from Wana Wazirs. Up to January 12th, they have handed in 118 Government rifles, 122 tribal rifles and Rs. 39,600 fine.

A few days ago a party of 30 Mahsuds attacked the "Dak" between Sorarogha and Ladha. The mobile platoon of 2nd-127th Baluchis turned out and engaged the enemy. Four mules, out of a total of eight, were recovered and the dak. Our casualties were one Indian rank killed, and two wounded, while the enemy lost four men killed. A constabulary post on Tank City wall was entered on January 9th by a party of men, estimated to be fifteen in number. One constable was wounded. A party of cavalry and mounted constabulary pursued the raiders, two of whom are believed to have been hit.

The Afridi Jirga, which recently came into Peshawar to discuss the provision of labour for the Khyber Railway, has now returned. The other six sections of Afridis have agreed to contribute towards the fine due from the Zakka Khel, provided that the latter prove their good faith by stopping raids surrendering Government rifles in their possession.

There was snowfall in Kandahar on December 22nd for the first time since 1905. The fall is said to be the heaviest on record

INDIAN LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

SIR JAMSETJI JEJEEBHOY'S UNCONTESTED ELECTION

A press note says:—

15-1-1921, 2 p.m., was the date and time fixed for the scrutiny of Nomination papers of the Bombay election of the Indian Legislative Assembly Non-Muhhammaden constituency for the City of Bombay, and Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, Bart., being the only candidate was declared duly elected a member of that Assembly.

A RLY. LINE BREACHED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADURA, Jan. 14.

The District Traffic Superintendent of Madura wires:—Line breached between Manuparai and Chettupati. Transhipment impossible at least three days.

Mr. Pheroze Sethna intends to move a resolution at the first session of the Council of State for the abolition of excise and customs duty of 6 annas per gallon on motor spirit which is now in force since March 1917.

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BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION ON MINISTER'S SALARY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 14.

At the next meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council, Rai Jogendra Chunder Ghose Bahadur will move the following resolution:—That the salary of a Minister be fixed at the amount of salary of the Under-Secretary of State for India, that is, at fifteen hundreds pounds a year.

NOMINATION TO COUNCIL OF STATE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Jan. 14.

His Excellency the Viceroy has nominated the following to the Council of States:—(official) Mr. Lloyd (Madras), Mr. Seddon (Bombay), Khan Bahadur Aminul Islam (Bengal), Dr. Ganga Nath Jha (United Provinces), and Mr. Hammond (Bihar and Orissa).

(Non-official):—Raja of Venkatagiri (Madras), Sir Dinsha Wacha (Bombay), Maharaja of Mymensingh (Bengal), Nawab Muzammil Ullah Khan (United Provinces), Nawab Sir Behram Khan (Punjab) and Raja Sir Harnam Singh for Indian Christians, Punjab.

DISTRICT BOARD CONFERENCE,

DECISION TO ESTABLISH VILLAGE UNIONS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 14.

Sir Surendranath Bannerjee, Minister, presided at the District Board Conference, to-day, at Government House, when several questions leading to the development of local self-government were considered. It was decided to establish village unions throughout the province, to eradicate water hyacinth, establish agricultural farms and impose tax on non-agricultural income.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY NOMINATIONS

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Jan. 14.

(Official):—Mr. Bryant and Rao Bahadur C. Krishnaswami Rao (Madras), Mr. Bradley Birt and Mr. Pebendra Kumar Mitter (Bengal), Mr. Wild and Khan Bahadur Chaudhuri Majid Hussain (United Provinces), Mr. Renouf (Punjab), Khan Bahadur Muhammad Habibullah (Bihar and Orissa), Mr. Maw (Central Provinces), Mr. Keith (Burma), and Mr. Dentith (Assam).

(Non-official):—Mr. T. V. Seshagiri Iyer, and Mr. J. T. Cotilingam (Madras and Indian Christian, Madras), Mr. N. M. Samarth and Mr. Mahomed Hajeebhoy (Bombay and extra Mahomedan, Bombay), Nawab of Dacca (Bengal), Raja of Partabgarh (United Provinces), Sardar Bahadur Gajjan Singh (Punjab), Khan Sahib Moulvi Abdul Qudir (Central Provinces), Rai Bahadur Nagendra Nath Chowdhury (Assam), Lt.-Col. Gidney (Anglo-Indian community), and Messrs. N. M. Joshi and H. H. Gibbs (labour interests).

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What sort of a woman would elect to remain by herself on a lonely island rather than return to the world under a cloud of suspicion? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

Can one live the life of a semi-savage from childhood, seeing no human face in twenty-one years, and then become a man of intellect and refinement? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinemas, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

Can a woman of refinement love a man she has found living in a savage state, ignorant even of human speech? See "The Island of Regeneration", at the West End Cinema, featuring Antonio Moreno.—Advt.

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ROMANCE OF SOULS.

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This is described as a Philosophic Romance in verse, and is an attempt to portray the reincarnated lives of five souls through seven different civilizations beginning with Ancient Egypt and ending with modern England. The idea is very good and would certainly make an interesting film if only the producer would be content to get his effects by very simple scenery. The elaborate over-detailed scenery which is usual would make the story too expensive a production for the weight of the theme.

The author has no lack of imagination, but a great deal of prose is mingled with the poetry making the reading very awkward and there are numerous mistakes in the English

ART AND DECORATION.

Art and Decoration. By Oscar Wilde. Methuen and Co., 6s 6d.

Art, said Oscar Wilde, is not something "which you can take who take an intellient and earnest interest in "Art and Decoration." It is sad to think that India has not yet known a truly responsive pilgrim who could without hesitation abandon himself to the reactions from the artistic atmosphere of this country. Oscar Wilde did not know that there was another country besides America that has suffered from the attitude of visitors who take greater interest in the barbarities of the country they visit than in its civilisation. If, instead of the ship-loads of cold-weather tourists, we had occasionally a visitor like Oscar Wilde he would have shown our countrymen how apathy towards their artistic heritage was reducing them to the level of automatons mechanically reproducing the vulgarities of the West.

He would have moreover, told them how they do not remember often enough how constantly "the history of a great nation will live in and by its Art. Only a few thin wreaths of beaten gold remain to tell us of the stately empire of Etruria; and while from the streets of Florence the noble knight and haughty duke have long since passed away, the gates which the simple goldsmith Gheberti made for their pleasure still guard their lovely house of baptism, worthy still of the praise of Michael Angelo who called them "worthy to be the gates of paradise." Why do we need to wait for a stranger to make us realise all that? Partly because an unprejudiced spectator sees most of the game and mainly because our ignorance of what we possess is so complete that an incredulous ear and a stupid gaze is all that we could offer by way of response to any one, except of course a stranger from the West, who dare awaken us. There is probably no other nation where art and decoration is so distinctly communal, so completley the property of the poorest as well as the richest where the streets have inded ben the real schools of Art to which Oscar Wilde refer's. We are however, such expert imitators of everything that comes from the West that we have mistaken and adopted its artificialities for art. Our conceptions of art end with "the *bric-a-brac* of the collector and the dust of the museum." We should, therefore, be reminded that we need to understand the art that "hallows the vessels of evry-day use." That there is "nothing uglier than the ordinary jug or pitcher"; that we should not "submit to the depressing jug with the hand all on one side"; and that we are still so fortunate that "a museum could be filled with the different kinds of water vessels" used in this country. The tin ename-ware we have introduced in our house-holds is worse than these jugs. The tin vessels are not only a sign of our degradation but a testimony of our stupdity. We are fast destroying the nobility of dress and the beautiful colours we used in fashioning our clothes. We have been welcoming the drab monotony of European life by adopting grey drab and black funeral colours for our clothes. We are soon becoming "a nation arrayed in stove-pipe hats and dress improvers." In this country moreover, as in Europe "when the dresses were decorated with beautiful designs and worked with exquisite embroidery, ladies rather took a pride in bringing out the garment and wearing it many times and handing it down to their daughters." But the "incursions of the modern milliner" are as effective here as they are in Europe and our ladies in the cities are not far behind their sisters in snobishness. We have also forgotten that "where there is loveliness of dress there is no dressing up" The chief fault of modern European dress is, according to Oscar Wilde, that it is composed of "far too many articles of clothing." We have not been altogether free from copying these faults. Oscar Wilde felt nothing which gave him a greater sense of barenness in travelling through America than the entire absence of wood carving on American houses. What would he have said if he had noticed the avidity with which we are substituting the monstrosities of the West for our traditional wood carving? We would hesitate, again, to imitate as we do if we realise with him that architecture in England is "most foolish and stupid architecture that the world has seen." Finally, we who look to the schools of art for everything and have forgotten the ancient craft guilds will do well to remember that "good handicrafts are due to guilds" and that if we truly love art we must "honour the handicraftsman." Do we realise the importance and the true significance of the author's remarks? He "would have a workshop attached to every school, and one hour a day given up to the teaching of simple decorative arts. It would be a golden hour to the children, And you would soon raise up a race of handicraftsmen who would transform the face of your country".—Yours, etc.

K. H. V.

LONDON FROM AN ORIENTAL'S POINT OF VIEW.

"London through Chinese eqes", by M. T. Z. Tyan, The Swarthmore Press Limited. London, 1920.

The author of this book studied in London for about seven years, and returned to China in order to start a newspaper in English there. He has observed much, but his observations are those of an ordinary journalist and not of a philosopher or artist. Profundity of thought or feeling are, therefore, absent from this book. Still, you might read the book to pass an agreeable hour, and you will come across some intelligent and even clever remarks here and there. The author found the "society teas" most trying, because no tables are supplied to guests on which to deposit their cups of tea, and also because you are not given the opportunity of talking at any length with anybody in particular. He sees that the individualism of the West makes for material success, but he doubts the desirability of getting this material success at the sacrifice of the spirit. The Joint Family System of China and of the rest of the East appeals to him more, because the individual is made responsible to his State and Society through his family. A man is more deterred from committing a crime in the East than in the West, because he knows that the reputation of his whole family (and not only of himself) will be besmirched by the discovery of his crime. He is not particularly enamoured of European "love-making," because he sees how many European marriages are followed by divorces. Although in China there is very little "love-making" before marriage, marriages they are, on the whole, happier than in Europe. He compares these two kinds of marriages in the following, rather striking similes:—

"This is (the European marriage after courtship) like putting pans of boiling water on a fireless stove and then letting it get cold. Our marriage, however, is just the opposite. It is like putting pans of cold water on the stove and then applying fire to it!"

Some of the author's observations have that kind of originality which is nearest to folly or absurdity. For example, he thinks that the houses, gardens and parks of London are most aesthetic! And then he is of opinion that rice is more solid and satisfying as food than bread! We do not know with what knowledge Mr. Tyan concludes that the Germans are light-hearted! Surely, we have never yet read another man making such a remark about the Teutons!

What we should have expected from a Chinese visitor to Europe, we do not get from our author. He might have told us how far belief in one religion alone is good for a people. He could have told us whether the British people are more guided in their daily lives by Christianity than are the Chinese by their three religions. He could have said something about the love of "knowledge" which the Europeans show, as distinguished from the love of "wisdom" which the Chinese and other Oriental races have always shown.

The illustrations by Miss Kong Sing are interesting though they are without much individuality.

V. B. M.

THE PLANTER'S MISSUS.

All you who planters wives would be
Come listen to my song
Its neither very short and sweet
Nor yet, uncalled for, long
As I'm trying to explain her life
In words, not over strong
You take the usual gentleman

2

For better or for worse (don't you?)
For richer or for poorer
In health, or the reverse
But when you marry Mr. P.
You add another verse (or two)
In times of flood and earth-quake

3

In times of dearth and storm
When living fire spurts all around
And when blue fear is born.
If you're a worthy Mrs. P.
You treat all this with scorn

4

When trekking through the forests
You hear the wild beasts roar.
Or merging from your morning tub
A snake is on the floor
You simply do not notice them
And go on as before!

5

Or walking near the villages
When night is coming on
The coolies on their way from work
Are full of drink and song!
You do not run away or hide!
You merely "carry on."

6

Then on some seathing morning
When your good man is out
The haunted foaming pariah comes
That's mad, without a doubt
You just un-hitch your riding whip
And simply lay him out!

7

When cars won't start,
Or when they do, you choke with dust and grime
And cling for safety to the side
The whole, and blessed time
You travel on those "rocky roads"
But *not* to Double-*in*

8

And after hours! of bumping thus
May-hap a tyre will burst
And the noon-day sun
Pours down on one
And life is one long thirst!
Its then, the Planter's Missus
Turns deaf ears to a curse! (or two)

9

Perhaps you're fond of music
Or may-be it is books!
Its likely you're an artist!
Or have you got some looks?
Well, say good-bye to all of this
When once you've known a planter's kiss

10

You may have been a thruster once
And on sleek and well-bred mounts
Of many a "forty minutes"
Have given good accounts
But now, you're likely to feel fed
Atriding of a "country-bred"

L'ENVOIE

To those who're good at singing high!
My advice is "have a try"
To those who're not! I'd have them see
"C'est magnifique mais *pas* la vie."

LE DERNIER CRI.

What a craze there seems for the ever-new, these days, the chic, the smart, the original! I have even heard Indian Art condemned for a too faithful adherence to one certain school! Art, however, is not what I meant to write about, but one of the latest crazes, which seems to be a small doll, placed on the dinner-table as a mascot, so the legend runs, and which costs the modest sum of rupee one annas fifteen, at Messrs. Evans Fraser's.

There have been a succession of more or less ugly fashions in table-decorations since I can remember, but these dolls are rather pretty than otherwise, the price is undoubtedly a popular one. Nevertheless fail to see the necessity for a mascot at dinner, unless—(a) we are rash enough to sit down thirteen, (b) the candle shades take fire, (c) our partner has the evil eye, or is too dangerously charm! or (d) its being Christmas time—we hope to be saved from ourselves, and the consequences of too much good cheer! Memory carries us back to thoughts of those other mornings which followed so closely upon the heels of the nights before!

Nearly all my dining out experiences, with very few exceptions, and these were never worse than mildly boring; have been emi-nently cheery, and so long as the meal itself is not quite overlooked, which at one time it almost showed signs of being, it will taste just, as good and be quite as successful, eaten on a bare board in the shade! of a candle and beside a cool pond, upon whose sombre waters, enclosed in black or crimson porcelain, a solitary water-lily floats aloofly; as in the merciless glare of electricity, where silver members of the poultry yard strut over a vista of shimmering white linen! for—fashions come, and fashions go! like the men in Tennyson's "Brook" but dinners go on for ever, let us hope! It seems an extraordinary fact, that according as the courses have become substantially lighter, the table decorations have become more massive in appearance. Does any one remember, I wonder, the time when women began to smoke and liqueurs were first handed with coffee, and the souffle period was ushered in? how pleased we were with those conventional posies, placed as a centre-piece in large silver or glass bowls! or the roses in those atrocious tapering vases, which, being silver have survived in some houses even to this day!

Or away back in the good old Victorian days when the host prided himself on his ability to carve, when there were *real* side dishes in massive silver plate and when dinners were remarkable for the excellence of the joint, and remembered by the age and quality of the Port and Madeira. How handsome the silver epergus looked, in the middle of the table, decked with geraniums and maiden-hair fern! and flanked by hot-house fruit in high Derby dishes! When the dining-room suite was of finest mahogany, the carpet from Coxminster, and the walls were hung with family portraits in massive gold frames. There was a great deal of mental poise, in those good old days, and originality was looked upon, more as a vice than a virtue, what?—I wonder, would they have said of mascots in such a household, what?

AUTHORSHIP AT SIXTEEN.

Master A. K. Sett of Bangalore sends us a little book in which he describes the principal places and peoples seen by him in the course of a trip to Ootacamund. It is honoured by Mrs. Besant with a Foreword, in which she says that the charm of the essay lies in its perfect naturalness, in the freshness of the boy's eager interest in all the things he sees and feels. The courageous young author has not yet mastered the grammar and idiom of a foreign language, but he has made a good beginning in the art of descriptive writing, and readers of his own age will be specially pleased by the example he has set, and admire the aspiration which has brought him before the public.

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"DRAUPADI."

A NEW MARATHI PLAY.

There was a time—theatre-goers in the Deccan or the early nineties remember it very well—when it was hardly respectable to visit a Marathi theatre. The popular impression was that there was neither art nor decency in the exhibition. The advent of the Kirloskar Sangit Mandali, the musical opera company, which the late Mr. Anya Kirloskar started thirty years ago changed all this. Marathi drama rose to a position of dignity. It secured playnight two knew how to manipulate the Marathi language. One writer of eminence succeeded another and sad the happiness of seeing his work interpreted by artists of exceptional talent. To-day Mr. Khadilkar, well-known in the world of Marathi journalism as the wielder of a facile and incisive pen in the world of Indian politics as the devoted lieutenant of the late Lokamanya Tilak, has achieved particular brilliance in the theatrical domain. His series of plays have popularised episodes in the Mahabharata and have added materially in elevating the Maharathi stage to a position of unrivalled eminence. Sati Draupadi his latest production which the Gandharva Natak Mandali staged for the first time during the last month illustrates another moving episode from the Mahabharata.

But Mr. Khadilkar's art would have remained dormant if he had not found a worthy interpreter. If Mr. Khadilkar's heroines are popular, the sole credit is due to Balgandharva, an artist whose devotion to duty, whose unique histrionic talent and whose excellence as a singer will perhaps remain unequaled in the annals of the Marathi stage. As a distinguished European critic of the Indian stage once remarked it was very hard for a man to personate a woman on the stage, but India had produced the wonderful example in Balgandharva of an artist who on the stage looked a woman, and a very distinguished woman. It is not his undoubted excellence as a singer that appeals, it is the peculiar touch of sincerity with which he invests his role that has endeared him to his numerous admirers. Mr. Swayamwara, the Khadilkar production, which attained instantaneous popularity, Mr. Rajahansa—that is Balgandharva—was superb as the grief stricken Rukmini. In Draupadi he excels as the wife of the Pandavas whose misfortunes he postrays in song and dialogue with such an understanding that he apears to live the part completely. We expect Sati Draupadi will have as large a run as the Swayamwara and mark another epoch in the progress of the Marathi operative stage.

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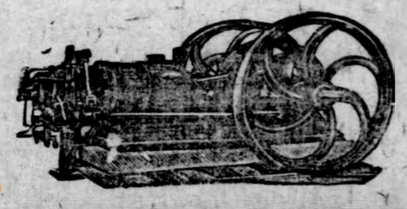

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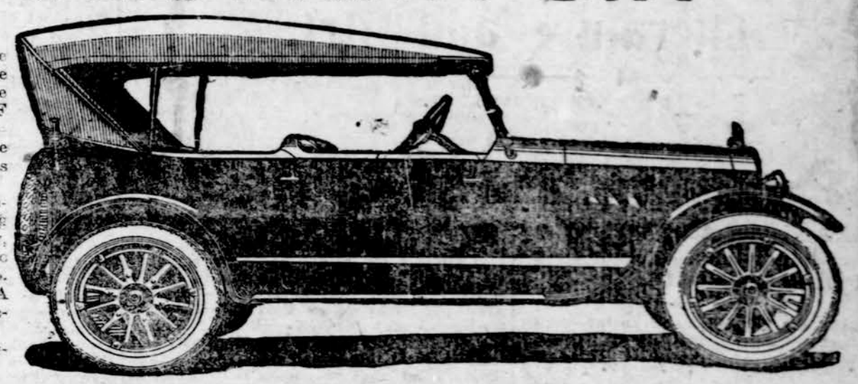

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